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TO-DAY'S Messages.

10.40 A. M.

GAINS ON THE WEST FRONT.

LONDON, To-Day. Further gains of positions in the region of Ghinchy and Guillemont have been captured by the British forces operating in the Somme region, according to an official issued before midnight. More than 200 prisoners were taken by the British during Friday. Fighting took place this afternoon (Friday) over the whole front from Pozières to the Somme. As a result we captured several strong enemy positions and gained ground toward Ghinchy and Guillemont, taking more than 200 prisoners. During the day on the right the French also made progress. Yesterday a German aeroplane was brought down aflame in our trenches after an air combat, and second machine by our anti-aircraft guns. Enemy billets have been successfully bombed at various places by our aircraft.

MANAGERS DO NOT ACCEPT WILSON'S PLAN.

WILSON, To-Day. President Wilson's plan for a settlement of the threatened nation-wide railroad strike, accepted yesterday by the representatives of the employees, was taken under consideration by the officials of the railroads with many indications that they would reject it to-night. When the plan came from the managers last night that they had reached no definite decision.

ANGLO-FRENCH ADVANCE NIBBLING ITS WAY.

LONDON, To-Day. Assaults by the British and French forces against German positions north of the Somme in France resulted in the gaining of additional ground by the attackers. According to the British and French War Offices the French advance was in and around Maurepas, the scene of much hard fighting during the past few weeks, and the British gain in the direction of Ghinchy and Guillemont, near the southern end of their section of the Somme front. The Anglo-French attacks, London says, took place along the whole line from Pozières to the Somme. The gains reported by Paris and London were the centre of the German positions on the Somme front, and mark another step in the Anglo-French advance toward Comblès. French troops gained more ground in the village of Maurepas, following the stopping of German counter-attacks near the village. Calvary Hill, southeast of the village, was carried by assault, and the French position on the Maurepas-Clergy Road was also extended. British troops advanced successfully in the region of Ghinchy and Guillemont and seized more German positions. London mentions no other gain on any other part of this front. The Anglo-French forces captured more than 400 prisoners in their advance. The French offensive continues on the right bank of the Meuse in the Verdun region. Paris chronicles the capture of two fortified redoubts northwest of the Thiaumont works. Progress is also reported for the French east of Vaux-Chapelle Wood. Berlin reports attacks by the French and British forces of the Somme, but says they were repulsed in the direction of Martinpuich. The French gain around Fleury in the Verdun region is admitted. There is little activity on the Eastern front, according to official reports, most of the fighting being in the Carpathian Mountains region, where both the Russians and Austro-Germans claim to have made some slight advances. Petrograd says the Austro-Germans are attacking in Galicia but with no success. The Teutonic Allies have taken the offensive on the Greco-Serbian frontier north of Saloniki. Berlin reports the capture of the Greek town of Florina from Serbian troops. This movement is probably the answer to the recent Entente Allied activity on the same front. Artillery bombardments are taking place on the Austro-Italian front around Gorizia. Rome claims an advance for the Italians in the Trentino.

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Ye heroes of our native Isle
Who from us spent two years away.

In all that time we have been true;
And when from us you did depart,
Our prayers we offered for you, too,
All emanating from the heart.

We greet you, brothers, to our shores;
We meet you with the love we shared
In fancy for our souls with yours
Were in the dangers which you dared.

It matters not about the creed,
The different ways which each
possess.
For 'tis alone the noble deed
Which God above does truly bless.

You fought, and that's enough to know,
For honor, home, and liberty,
A debt we really to you owe
For fighting for to keep us free.

We greet you with a loving smile,
Long may the flag you fought for
wave!
You're welcome to your native Isle
"Home of the free, land of the brave."

JAMES MURPHY.

August 19th, 1916.

Gallipoli and France Veterans Receive Big Welcome Home.

By the express which reached town at 2 p.m. to-day eleven Gallipoli and France veterans returned on furlough or as medically unfit. Their names are:—Corporals D. Hackett, S. Cornick, L. Bartlett, T. Christopher; Privates Ed. Nutall, William Roberts, C. Robertson, R. G. Greive, Y. Pearce, J. Knight. Shortly before the train reached the station a large number of people assembled on the platform, to welcome the returning heroes. Included in the number were the members of the Ladies Reception Committee, the Hon. J. R. Bennett, Acting Premier, relatives and friends of the returning soldiers. As the veterans stepped to the platform they were greeted with hearty cheers. The volunteers now in training, headed by their drum and bugle band, were present to welcome their comrades. Hon. J. R. Bennett on behalf of the Ladies Reception Committee and the country at large welcomed the returned heroes. The men were then taken in automobiles to Government House, where Sir Joseph Outerbridge, Chairman of the Reserve Force Committee, whom His Excellency has delegated to act for him during his absence, received the men in a whole-hearted manner and thanked them for the valuable services they had rendered the Empire. Bunting flew to the breeze from almost every business place and hundreds of private dwellings.

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What Are You Doing for that Eczema?

"Nothing; I've about given up trying to cure it."
"That is not wise. Do as I did and you will probably be cured in a short time. I used Zylx and Zylx Soap with it and my Eczema began to improve at once. A couple of boxes cured it. You can get Zylx at your druggist's."
Zylx, 50c. a box; Zylx Soap, 25c. a cake.
Zylx, London. eod.1f

The Bishop at Bell Island.

The Lord Bishop of Newfoundland, accompanied by Rev. Canon Smith, left for Bell Island to-day, via Portlet Cove, and crossed over by special steamer. His Lordship will hold a Confirmation Service to-morrow, when a large number of candidates will receive the laying on of hands. Bunting floated to the breeze from almost every flagstaff at the Cove, and on reaching the Iron Island, hundreds of people of all denominations assembled on the beach and extended a hearty welcome to His Lordship and their old friend the Canon.

An Appropriate Hymn.

Indianapolis News:—Hymn No. 224 in a British compilation called "Hymns Ancient and Modern." Is known as "the admiral's hymn." The reason, therefore, was the bringing down of a Zeppelin off the Schleswig-Holstein coast by two English warships. The admiral recognizing this service, signalled the captain: "Hymns Ancient and Modern, No. 224, Last Verse." The last stanza reads:

O happy band of pilgrims,
Look upward to the skies,
Where such a light affliction
Shall win so great a prize.
When potting plants, put a piece of coarse muslin over the hole in the pot before putting in the bits of stone and soil, which keeps the drainage good. The muslin prevents the earth

The sweet potato makes a very pretty prior vine. Put the tuber in sand in a hanging basket and water occasionally.

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ITALIAN STEAMER SUBMARINED.

LONDON, To-Day. The Italian steamer Stampalia, which plies between New York and Italian ports, has been sunk.

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THE FIGHTING JACKMANS.—Mr. Patrick J. Jackman, son of the late E. M. Jackman, Esq., who went to Montreal shortly after the death of his father, enlisted the day he arrived, and was sent "Valcartier" the next day. He is attached to the 189th Irish Canadian Regiment, his brother, Pte. Edward, is a member of the same battalion; Pte. Geo., another brother, is with "Ours," Pte. Mike reported as missing on July 1st, is a cousin, he was one of the last squad to leave Suva Bay.

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