

SOME OF FRENCH MILITARY ADVANCE TWELVE MILES

FRENCH TROOPS REACH HAM REGION, GUISCARD IN DANGER

Machine Guns Placed on Every Point of Vantage North of Oise By Germans and Indian Style of Fighting Prevails—Prisoners Complain That They Not Only Have To Face French But Are Under Fire of German Artillery.

Paris, Aug. 30—German counter-attacks between the Ailette and the Aisne were repulsed last night by the French says the war office statement today. The French maintained their gains east of Pasy, north of Soissons.

South of the Somme and along the Canal Du Nord there was no change in the situation during the night. German raids along the Vesle and in Champagne failed.

Some units of the armies of General Debenedy and General Humbert, north of the Oise river yesterday advanced for more than twelve miles, according to the Intransigent. The newspaper confirms the report that French troops have reached the region of Ham and adds that it does not seem possible that the Germans will be able to hold Guiscard for any length of time. Guiscard is on the high road midway between Noyon and Ham.

With the French Army in France, Aug. 30—Machine guns have been placed on every point of vantage by the Germans and the struggle north of the Oise has become a sort of bush fighting. The enemy's machine guns are carefully concealed and command all paths leading up the hills and are capable of holding up a large force and obliging assaulting troops to dodge and surround the emplacements. It has been found that artillery preparations, however intense, never reach all of them.

French soldiers after their experience in Thiescourt Forest are becoming familiar with the Indian style of fighting, while the German machine gunners left behind so that the infantry might retire with greater security are becoming weary of the task. When taken prisoners they complain that they alone have been sacrificed and they have been obliged not only to face the French but to be under fire of their own artillery, shells from the rear falling on the positions they have been left to hold.

This happened yesterday at Noyon and seemed to be happening today. Shells from the German heavy artillery were falling short all around Mount St. Simon and others were falling in Noyon. Those that fell in the city drove out at their hiding place thirty-two German soldiers who had been overlooked by the Zouaves who cleared the streets yesterday.

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A Canadian Atlantic Port, Aug. 29.—A fishing schooner sailing out of this port, arrived here early this afternoon reporting that at ten o'clock this morning, she had seen a submarine quite a distance southeast of here chasing two eastbound steamers. It was a large one, and he could see the conning tower and periscope quite plainly. One of the steamers

opened fire, the first shell falling short, but ricocheting directly over the U-boat, which immediately submerged. Half an hour later it reappeared two miles to the seaward. The steamer fired three more shots, none registering hits. The submarine went out towards the sea in a southeasterly direction, and was not sighted thereafter. Several fishermen along the shore corroborate this story.

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TWO GIRLS SAVED FROM DROWNING

Swimming Instructor Mark Burns Rescued Dorothy Hanson and Lucilla McDonald Near Rowan's Wharf Yesterday.

A daring feat was perpetrated yesterday afternoon when, received much commendation. Mark Burns, the popular swimming instructor, jumped into the water yesterday at Rowan's wharf, rescuing two girls from drowning. The young ladies, Misses Dorothy Hanson and Lucilla McDonald, both residing on Douglas Avenue, were in swimming at the city baths when they waded beyond their depth. Mr. Burns, standing nearby, saw their predicament, as the young ladies had gone under for the second time, and jumped promptly into the water without awaiting to disrobe, and rescued the two drowning girls. His act was highly commended by the onlookers. The young ladies suffered very little from their experience and soon proceeded homeward.

These are only two of a number of rescues that have been made by Instructor Burns.

TELLS DYSPYPTICS WHAT TO EAT

Avoid Indigestion, Sour Acid Stomach, Heartburn, Gas On Stomach, Etc.

Indigestion and practically all forms of stomach trouble, say medical authorities, are due nine times out of ten to an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach. Chronic "acid stomach" is a disease of the stomach and the remedy should do other one of two things. Either they can go on a limited and often disagreeable diet, avoiding foods that disagree with them, that irritate the stomach and lead to excess acid secretion or they can eat as they please in reason and make it a practice to counteract the effect of the harmful acid and prevent the formation of gas, sourness or premature fermentation by the use of a little Bismarck Magnesia at their meals.

There is probably no better, safer or more reliable stomach antacid than Bismarck Magnesia and it is widely used for this purpose. It has no direct action on the stomach and is not a digestant. But a teaspoonful of the powder or a couple of five grain tablets taken in a little water with the food will neutralize the excess acidity which may be present and prevent its further formation. This removes the whole cause of the trouble and the meal digests naturally and healthfully without need of pepin pills or artificial digestants.

Get a few ounces of Bismarck Magnesia from any reliable druggist. Ask for either powder or tablets. It never comes as a liquid, milk or citrate and in the bisulphate form is not a laxative. Get a few ounces of Bismarck Magnesia from any reliable druggist. Ask for either powder or tablets. It never comes as a liquid, milk or citrate and in the bisulphate form is not a laxative.

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Groceries.	
Sugar	Standard \$9.35 @ \$9.40
Yellow	Standard 8.85
Rice	10 lb 10.50
Tapoca	Standard 0.17
Beans—	
Yellow-eyed	Standard 9.75
White	Standard 9.50
Creole of Tartar	Standard 0.84
Molasses	Standard 0.93
Peanut, split, bags	Standard 10.50
Barley, pot, bags	Standard 6.00
Cornmeal, grain	Standard 7.00
Meats, Etc.	
Beef—	
Western	Standard 0.00
Country	Standard 0.13
Butchers'	Standard 0.18
Eggs, case	Standard 0.47
Eggs, fresh	Standard 0.55
Spring lamb, per lb.	Standard 0.27
Pork	Standard 0.00
Veal	Standard 0.15
Mutton	Standard 0.00
Butter—	
Tab	Standard 0.40
Roll	Standard 0.45
Chickens	Standard 0.90
Powder	Standard 0.25
Potatoes, bushel	Standard 0.00
Fruits, Etc.	
Almonds	Standard 0.34
Bananas	Standard 0.25
Walnuts	Standard 0.25
Filberts	Standard 0.23
Lemons	Standard 0.00
Cal. Oranges	Standard 0.00
Peanuts, roasted	Standard 0.23
California	Standard 2.50
Peaches	Standard 2.75
Pears	Standard 5.00
Canadian onions	Standard 0.90
Fish	
Cod—	
Cod, medium	Standard 11.75
Haddock	Standard 0.00
Herring	Standard 0.00
Hallbut	Standard 0.00
Canned Goods	
Corn, per doz.	Standard 2.50
Beans—	
Each	Standard 2.40
String	Standard 2.50
Spout—	
Corned B.	Standard 4.00
Corned T.	Standard 3.00
Pineapple, sliced	Standard 3.25
Pears	Standard 1.65
Peaches, 24	Standard 2.30
Pineapple, Lombard	Standard 2.00
Raspberries	Standard 3.10
Salmon—(Per case)	
Pinks	Standard 11.50
Coboes	Standard 18.75

FIELD-MARSHAL HAIG'S FORCES CROSS THE HINDENBURG LINE

British Capture Baillieu and Numerous Other Places—French Hold All High Ground Between Soissons and Leury — British Close To Important Town of Peronne and Its Fall Expected Shortly.

London, Aug. 30—Troops of Field Marshal Haig today crossed the Hindenburg line to the south of Bullecourt. In the Lys salient the British forces are reported to have taken Nootte Boom, three miles south of Baillieu. The Germans have retreated from the town of Baillieu.

North of Soissons French troops today captured Hill 159, and they now hold all the high ground between Soissons and Leury, according to information received from the battlefield this evening.

Reuter learns that Baillieu has been captured. The French south of the Somme are progressing. British troops are reported close to Peronne and have reached a point immediately north of Eterpigny. They are also north of Biaches. We hold Frenincourt, three miles east of Bapaume.

Fall of Le Transloy. With the British Forces in France, Aug. 30—(By The Associated Press)—The Germans have been trying ever since the fall of Bapaume to hold the line running along the road between that town and Peronne. British patrols, however, actually have reached Le Transloy, directly on the road, and it is reported that Le Transloy has fallen and that a fierce battle within a radius of a mile or so has taken place along the whole length of the road.

Hard fighting is going on around Beaulieu, which is astride the road between Le Transloy and Bapaume. The Canadian hold the major portion of this village for the moment, but they seem destined to be thrown out from it. A bitter struggle also is in progress at southern Le Transloy. The fighting appears to have reached a hand-to-hand character and the Germans are said to have suffered from the British in some of the German formations. The 214th German Division is especially mentioned in this connection. One officer of this unit said his men absolutely refused in a body to fight and he personally shot ten of their refusals.

The officer added that when his men learned they were opposed by the Canadians the Germans also started a panic. A Canadian corps is reported to have captured sixty cannon in the operations of the last four days. He (sarcastically)—Pah! It's no use arguing with a fool. She (sweetly)—But I wasn't arguing with you, dear.

Here the Germans delivered a powerful counter-attack on the British withdrawal in the face of it. The artillery was turned into the trap the Germans had made for themselves, and after it had finished, the British moved back again and mopped up what remained of the Germans. Bullecourt is well in British hands, as apparently also is Hendeourt, Biscourt, and Cagnicourt seems to be in the possession of Field Marshal Haig's men. Heavy fighting is reported in this locality, as here the British have reached only a few hundred yards from the Drocourt-Queant switch line, which apparently is garrisoned with every man the German high command has been able to lay hands on. They are waiting for what they expect may come in their five lines of trenches, which are protected by many belts of barbed wire.

British Guns Thunder. But even as they wait they are being harassed by heavy fire from the British cannon, which throughout this zone of the battle are thundering away as hard as their gunners can force them.

From here northward across the Arras-Cambrai road and along the River Scarpe the British are pushing forward, gaining more ground, straightening their line and drawing generally closer to the Drocourt-Queant defences of the enemy.

Counter-attacks have been launched on various parts of the battlefield, but none of them seems to have gained anything for the enemy. A majority of them have been completely broken up by the hail of bullets from machine guns and rifles before the enemy reached the British positions.

In the north there apparently is lively activity at several places. The British are reported to have made considerable advances. A report has just been received that Baillieu, southeast of Tynes, is being shelled by the enemy. If this is correct, it indicates that the Germans have withdrawn altogether from that important town and that the British either are entering Baillieu or will do so later.

Clams 8.00 " 8.25
Oysters—(Per doz.)
12 2.25 " 2.30
24 3.50 " 3.75
Strawberries 3.10 " 3.20
Flour.
Government standard 0.00 " 12.00
Ontario 12.00
Ontario, sliced 6.00
(No quotation).
Oatsmeal, rolled 12.00
Provisions.
Pork, Am. clear 50.00 " 52.00
Beef, Am. plate 40.00 " 41.00
Lard, pure 0.25 " 0.27 1/2
Lard, comp. tubs 0.27 1/2 " 0.27 1/2

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But before giving up hope and deciding you are a chronic dyspeptic, try the effect of a little bisulphated magnesia—not the ordinary commercial carbonate, citrate or milk, but the pure bisulphated magnesia which you can obtain from practically any druggist in either powdered or tablet form.

Take a teaspoonful of the powder or two compressed tablets with a little water after your best meal, and see what a difference this makes. It will instantly neutralize the dangerous harmful acid in the stomach which now causes your food to ferment and sour, making gas, wind, flatulence, heartburn and the bloated or heavy, lumpy feeling that seems to follow most everything you eat. You will find that provided you take a little bisulphated magnesia immediately after a meal, you can eat almost anything and enjoy it without any danger of pain or discomfort to follow and moreover, the continued use of the bisulphated magnesia cannot injure the stomach in any way so long as there are any symptoms of acid indigestion.



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