

HEAVY RAINS WPEDE OPERATIONS OF THE BRITISH FORCES

TOTAL OF 51 MACHINE GUNS AND 20 OTHER GUNS TAKEN BY THE BRITISH IN LAST FEW DAYS

French Made Further Advance Last Night in Somme River Near Estrees

RUSSIAN ADVANCE IN REGION OF CZARTORYSK PROGRESSES

Two More Villages Captured, the War Office Announces, and Additional Prisoners Taken—German Heavy Guns Cause Russ Losses but They Hold They Own

By Special Wire to the Courier. Petrograd, Friday, July 7, via London, July 8, 1.30 p.m.—The Russian advance in the Czartorysk region in which the attacking German troops were thrown back yesterday, has been pushed further. The War Office tonight announced the capture of the villages of Dolzyca and Gruziatyn. The number of Austrian and German prisoners continues to increase.

JAPAN PLEASD WITH TREATY

Alled With Russian Can Check Austrian and German Designs. By Special Wire to the Courier. Tokio, July 8.—The Japanese press regards the new Russo-Japanese convention as a veritable offensive and defensive alliance consolidating the position of Japan and Russia in the Far East and checking renewed activity of Germany and Austria.

FRANCE WATCHES WITH ADMIRATION THE BRITISH FIGHT

Overcoming Brilliantly the Great Natural and Artificial Obstacles. By Special Wire to the Courier. Paris, July 8.—The French are watching with admiration the fight of the British troops in the sector north of Somme River. The great natural and artificial difficulties with which they have to contend are realied and all agree that they are doing as well as humanly possible.

WAR OPENS UP RUSS PROBLEMS

Attention of Its Statesmen Must Be on West for Many Years. Petrograd, July 8, via London, 11:05 a.m.—In an interview in The Bourae Gazette on the Russo-Japanese agreement, Sergius Sazonoff, the Minister of Foreign Affairs, says: "The present war opens up a series of problems for Russia, the solution of which necessitates our confining our attention to the west for many years. Relying on our solidarity with Japan as regards Far Eastern questions we can devote all our energies to the solution of these problems with the assurance that no power will take unfair advantage of China to carry out its ambitious plans, as was the case with other countries bordering on Russia in the east."

WITH GUNS AND INFANTRY BRITISH DRIVE FORWARD IN EFFORT TO EVEN UP LINE

Soldiers Have Been Rushed From Belgium to Stop the British Troops Who Struggle Forward in Spite of Rain—Russian Forces Nearing Delatyn and Kovel. London, July 8.—2.01 p.m.—The operations of the British army on the Somme front, between the Ancre and Somme Rivers, has again been impeded by unusually heavy rain, the war office announced today. During the last few days the British have captured twenty guns and 51 machine guns.

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PARKDALE VOTED AGAINST LOAN

Turned Down Proposal of School Trustees to Borrow \$9,000. At a meeting of the ratepayers of Parkdale school section held last evening the proposal of the school trustees to borrow \$9,000 in order to build a three room addition to the present school, was voted down almost unanimously after considerable discussion by the large number present.

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Butcher in Cologne Punished for Selling Meat.

Mrs. Mary Summers, of Newark, N.J., was shot to death during a fireworks display at Bridgeport, Conn.

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