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THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN N. B., MONDAY, MAY 6, 1918

GERMAN ATTACK PLANNED BUT DID NOT MATERIALIZE

Allied Gunfire and Downpour
of Rain Responsible

LUCK AGAINST THE ENEMY

Our Guns Played Havoc With
Hun Preparations for Assault—
Allies Win Back Large Number
of Important Positions

With the British Army in France, May 5—(By the Associated Press.) Luck seems to be going against the German along the crucial northern battle-front. Sunday still found the Prussian commanders working desperately to whip their organizations into shape for a renewal of the delayed offensive, while the Allied forces, aided by the weather, continued counter operations which are most disconcerting to an enemy playing against time.

It was quite apparent that the Germans intended another assault in Flanders yesterday morning, but the arrangements were held up by a combination of events. There were the Allied operations and a heavy rain which converted the ground into mud flats over which it was difficult to move either infantry or artillery. There was also confusion arising from wholesale retreats and the arrival of strange troops in the German area.

The Allied artillery has been maintaining an incessant bombardment of enemy territory and on Friday night, before the projected German attack, the French and British gunners played havoc with the German preparations. The Allied troops also have been carrying out successive local operations, which improved their lines and upset enemy schemes to a marked degree.

Yesterday the Allies occupied a large number of important positions at various points along the front of 4,000 yards west of Kemmel. The British also made an advance of 800 yards along a front of 1,000 yards northwest of Locon, thereby gaining several positions which had been contested many days. This morning the Germans tried to regain some of these positions, but were repulsed. An enemy attack yesterday morning in the Locon area under cover of heavy barrage likewise was smashed.

On the southern battle front the British last night near Sully le Sec advanced their line in a minor operation, without casualties. The German prisoners taken in all these local engagements make a considerable total.

The spirit of the Allied troops remains at the highest pitch. They know that every day's delay in their victory for them. Each day makes America loom larger on the horizon and brings the much needed overseas troops nearer the battle lines.

N. B. MEN IN THE CASUALTY LIST

The names of six New Brunswick men appear in the midnight casualty list.—Presumed to have died, W. F. Barrill, Cloverdale; F. Broad, Beechwood; Gasco, F. L. Addison, St. John; J. W. G. DeMille, Annapolis; prisoner, repairman, E. Lawson, Young's Cove road; wounded, R. Bourque, Beau Village.

Private John Henry W. Vanbushkirk, son of J. E. Vanbushkirk of Moncton, has been reported killed in action, April 26. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. and Mrs. Samuel Stillwell of Chipman were advised on Wednesday that their son, Haasen, had been killed in action.

Cadet Herman Paul of Springhill, was instantly killed in a crash of Camp Mohawk on Saturday afternoon. He was training with the royal air force.

Gracie Oyer, F. W. Walsh, assistant animal husbandman of the Agricultural Department of Fredericton, has severed his connection with the department and has signed with the Royal Flying Corps. On the eve of his departure the department presented to him a wrist watch.

Miss Lucretia M. Hill, chiropodist, has received word that her application to go overseas has been accepted and she will leave with the next detachment of V. A. D. workers. Miss Hill has been with the course first aid and home nursing.

BURIED ON SUNDAY.
The funeral of Miss Olive M. Galbraith took place on Sunday at two o'clock, West St. John. Interment was made in the cemetery at Longville, N. B. Many beautiful floral offerings were received, among them were a large wreath from the employees of the Geo. E. Barbour Co., Ltd., where she was formerly employed, and a sheet of roses and carnations from the office staff of the superintendent's office of the Dominion Express Co.

The funeral of John Barton took place yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock from St. Mary's church where the service was conducted by the Rev. R. Taylor McKinn. Interment was made in Fernhill cemetery.

The funeral of Annie C. Boyle was held from her late residence, Hickey road, at 10 o'clock to St. Joseph's church where the service was conducted by Rev. A. J. O'Neill. Interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery. The funeral was very largely attended and her uncles acted as pall-bearers.

Funeral of Mrs. O. R. Patrique.
Norton, May 4—(Special).—One of the largest funerals seen here for some time was that of Alice Wilmet Patrique, wife of Oscar R. Patrique, of this place, which took place this afternoon. Rev. C. W. Walden, pastor of the Baptist church at Norton, conducted the service. After a short service at the residence of the deceased the funeral service was held in the church. A very impressive service was held and the church was crowded with friends of the deceased lady. Mr. Walden spoke from the text, "For the living know that they shall die." He referred feelingly to the splendid and beautiful life of the deceased, both in her own home and in the community and of the very high esteem in which she was held by all who knew her, recognizing as they did her unfailing kindness, great sympathy and true Christian character. During the service Miss Kathleen Campbell sang Tronson's "Crossing The Bar." Interment was made in Riverbank cemetery. The floral tributes were many and beautiful.

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Address

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It has been learned also the sanctifying power of wholesome amusement to mind and body, and the serious business of this work that being entirely to the exigencies of warfare, but there are others that must enter into the permanent church work, if ever we are going to hold the soldiers when they return.

The Red Triangle Hut has meant for thousands the salvation of the whole man, spirit and mind and body. And thousands of others have found it easier to enter the valley of the shadow of death, because through the ministry of the Red Triangle Hut they have found Him before whom all shadows flee away.

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Rotarians, War Garden Association and other interested in greater production, are cordially invited by the Canadian Club to attend the illustrated lecture "Fests of the Garden," by Prof. W. Lockhead of MacDonald College, in the High School Assembly Hall at 6 o'clock Tuesday evening, 7th May. Admission free. 80882-5-7.

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In past years it has been customary to provide service on a certain day, known as "clean-up" day, to enable suburbanites to visit their homes and make preparations for the season. For this purpose, on Wednesday, May 8 (only) train will be run to leave city at 8:15 a. m., and on the return will leave Wolford at 8:00 p. m. due in the city about 8:00 p. m. All stops to be made in each direction. This is really meant to be a suburban train service May 8th only, and between that date and May 30th, when practically full service will be inaugurated, there will be no other service than regular trains now running. 5-8.

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Reuter's correspondent is informed that the distinguished Boer general and legislator, Myburgh, has offered Premier.

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Canned Peas..... 15c. can
Canned Corn..... 18c. can
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LOCAL NEWS

Professor Aaron J. Perry, professor of English in the University of Manitoba, and Mrs. Perry arrived in St. John yesterday to spend vacation in their native province. He is visiting his brother, Ira D. Perry, 186 Queen street.

Thomas E. Dyer of Celebration street, an employee of the C. G. R., while walking to the depot on Saturday night, discovered a large piece of lumber laid across the track. He removed this and within five minutes train No. 17 passed into the depot.

With twenty-three cases of smallpox in the parishes of Chipman and Northfield, counties of Queens and Sunbury, Dr. H. B. Hay is of the opinion that it would be dangerous to bring conscripts from those two parishes until the epidemic is under control.

Inspector Callow, two sergeants and ten constables of the C. P. R. investigation department, left for Montreal on Saturday, where they will take up their duties during the summer port there.

A pantry sale was held on Queen Square by the Ladies' Aid and Sunshine Club of the Carmarthen street Methodist church on Saturday. Those in charge were Mrs. Seymour, Mrs. Calhoun, Mrs. Earle and Mrs. Brown.

Rev. Dr. Morrison spoke feelingly last evening on the sixty-first anniversary of the First Presbyterian church, West St. John, talking for his subject, "The Church of Today and Tomorrow." In the morning he made an appeal for the Y. M. C. A. Red Triangle drive.

A serious brush fire was discovered on the shore line track just below the provincial hospital annex yesterday afternoon. The C. P. R. dispatched a gang of men to the scene of the fire and it was soon extinguished.

Caesar A. Barranco, who has been the Cuban consul here for the last four years, has been transferred to Toronto. His position here will be filled by Bernardino Martinez, who has been acting as vice-consul at Washington and Shanghai, China.

A break occurred in the twelve-inch main which runs across the foot of King street about midnight Saturday night. The water works department commenced the work of repairing at once, and by yesterday afternoon they had managed to reach the break. The repairs will be made very rapidly.

Box No. 241 rang in at 1 o'clock yesterday for a roof fire in the house owned by A. Rowley on the corner of Winter and Stanley street. No damage was done. No. 122 rang in half an hour later for a fire in the home of Ernest Morrill, 7 Kennedy street. Considerable damage was done which was not covered by insurance. George A. Estey occupied the lower part, on which there was some insurance. The damage was estimated at \$800. Miss Barbara Gunn was burned.

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