

Continued from page two) Waterloo Farm from the direction of Guillemont.

London, July 20—The official statement, issued tonight about midnight from British headquarters in France, says: "North of the Bazentin-Longueval line we advanced about 1,000 yards in the face of stubborn opposition. Heavy fighting still continues in the northern outskirts of Longueval village and in Delville Wood.

Paris July 20—The French forces have captured the entire first German positions extending from Estrees to the height of Verdandovillers, according to the official statement issued by the war office tonight.

London, July 22—Some idea of the huge forces now engaged in the battle of the Somme, in Northern France, is given in the official statement from Berlin tonight, in which it is stated that more than 200,000 French and British troops attacked the German lines north and south of the Somme Thursday on a front of twenty-seven miles.

New York, July 21—A New York Times cable from London, dated yesterday, says: "General Haig's communique stating that more ground has been gained in Delville Wood and Longueval are regarded as affording convincing proof that the British are establishing a decided supremacy over the enemy.

London, July 23—A Reuters despatch from the British front in France, filed at 3.30 p. m. today says: "Following a heavy bombardment last night British troops and Anzacs attacked towards Pozieres and Guillemont. Despite desperate resistance the

Anzacs succeeded in establishing themselves in Pozieres where they are consolidating their lines. It is reported the casualties were comparatively light. West of Pozieres 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.

Petrograd, July 22, via London, July 23—Fierce engagements have taken place south of Riga, and Russian troops have penetrated the German first line at several points, says the official statement, issued by the war office tonight.

London, July 24—The British official statement from headquarters in France, issued tonight, reads: "The fighting has continued in the village of Pozieres where the number of prisoners taken by the Australians troops has reached a total of six officers and 145 other prisoners.

Paris, July 23—The destruction of a German fortified work on the Somme front was marked by a tragic episode, says La Liberté. The order was given to destroy the fort at whatever cost. In less than six hours more than 2,500 great shells were fired at it, and the defenses gave way one by one in a cloud of dust and smoke.

Y. H. O. Wilkinson, Stratford says: "It affords me much pleasure to say that I experienced great relief from Muscular Rheumatism by using two boxes of Milburn's Rheumatic Pills. Price 50c a box.

Local And Other Items.

The British government has decided to take in taxation seventy-seven per cent of the excess profits of shipping firms.

A large fishing fleet was caught a few days ago in a monsoon off the Ceylon coast, and two hundred lives are believed to be lost.

Forty persons, including a number of soldiers and women, were killed during a severe lightning and rain storm in the suburbs of Mexico City on Friday.

Reports from down the Miramichi river say that the North New Brunswick coast is infested with sharks, and that at Tabusintac they have driven the seals on to the beaches.

The Camarder "Saxonia," which arrived at New York from Liverpool a week ago brought twenty million dollars in specie to J. P. Morgan and Co. from the Bank of England.

The regular meeting of the Cheese Board was held Friday. About 1,500 boxes were offered and Mr Spillet offered 16c, but salesmen would not accept the offer on the Board. Sale adjourned.

The highest temperature on Saturday in Charlottetown was 85 degrees. The highest so far this season was on Friday when the mercury went up to 88 degrees. Pretty hot weather for this country.

W. J. Black has been appointed Commissioner of Agriculture at Ottawa succeeding the late C. C. James. For ten years before coming to Ottawa he was president of the Manitoba Agricultural College.

The Duke of Connaught and party passed through Selkirk Tunnel near Cambria B. C. the other day on an open flat car. The tunnel is double tracked five miles long and will be open for general traffic in four months.

A British supplementary estimate calls for a vote credit for 450,000,000 pounds, which Premier Asquith asked the House of Commons to vote on Monday. This is the largest vote since the beginning of the war, and it brings the total up to 2,832,000,000 pounds.

The British Admiralty has released three of the White Star Dominion Line Steamers which were formerly in the Canadian trade, the Northland, Southland and Canada, and which have been engaged in the government service between Great Britain and the Mediterranean.

Hon. F. B. McCardy, on the 20th stated that to date Canada has enlisted 350,655 men. Recently the number of men offering has shown a slight tendency to shrink, though with the number of men already raised and a great demand for men in industries the recruiting is keeping up well.

The Holland American line steamer "Noordam" sailed from Rotterdam for New York on the 20th. On board were about 50 Belgian women and children, who are being sent to join relatives and friends in Canada and the United States under the arrangement made by the Rev. John B. Beville, of Chicago. Father Beville returned to Belgium the same day for more refugees.

Local and Other Items.

The 105th Battalion arrived safely at Liverpool on Tuesday 20th.

Two ferry boats collided on Sunday on the River Spree near Berlin. Twenty people were drowned.

The London Guardian says that Roger Casement has been refused permission to appeal to the house of Lords.

The British Government is to send a vessel from England to the rescue of the Shackleton party in the Antarctic.

There were twenty-four deaths, last Monday night in the water works tunnel at Cleveland, Ohio as a result of the explosion of gas.

His Excellency most Reverend Peregrine Stagni, Apostolic Delegate and His Grace the Archbishop Elect of Winnipeg, most Rev. (Mgr. Sinnott) arrived in Charlottetown last Friday night. They are spending a brief vacation at Mgr. Sinnott's former home, St. Peter's Harbour.

His Honour the Lieut. Governor has issued a proclamation announcing a special session of the Legislative Assembly for Friday, August 4th, to provide revenues and appropriations for the purposes of the war, the Patriotic Fund and urgent requirements of the public health.

At the midsummer session of the Supreme Court held at Georgetown last week, there were no criminal cases. Only one civil was on the docket and it was settled before coming to trial. That speaks well for the morality and law abiding character of the people of King's County.

DIED.

DOUGAN—At Donaldson, P. E. I., on Wednesday, July 18th 1916, Miss Catherine Dougan, aged fifty-one years. May her soul rest in peace.

McKENNA—In this city on Wednesday, July 19, 1916, Laura May McKenna, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick McKenna, Euston St. aged 24 years. R.I.P.

HALLORAN—At the City Hospital Friday afternoon 21st inst. Thomas Halloran, aged 20 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Halloran, Brighton Avenue. R.I.P.

FISHER—At Peake's Road, Kings County, on Saturday July 22nd after a lingering illness, Melville Fisher.

PARKMAN—Died in this city, Sunday, July 23rd 1916, Henry Parkman in the 94th year of his age.

FRASER—In Andover, Mass., July 18, Daniel Fraser, in his 84th year.

OAKS—In this City, July 24th, at her residence, 36 school St., Pearl M., wife of Richard Oaks, aged 23 years.

McLELLAN—At Arlington, on July 18th after a short illness Dolorina, eldest daughter of Cornelius and Mrs. McLellan aged 15. R.I.P.

CHANGE OF TIME. Commencing Monday, July 10th, Steamer Prince Edward Island will leave Charlottetown at six fifteen (6.15) a. m., arriving at Pictou at ten (10) a. m. July 5, 1916—51

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until Noon, on Friday, the 18th August 1916, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, six times per week.

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