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Canadians Reported To Be Now In The Fighting on The Somme

Terrible Losses Have Led To Bringing Up New Formations On Both Sides; Soldiers From Canada Said To Have Been In Friday's Attack

London, Aug. 18.—(Toronto Mail and Empire)—The terrible losses incurred in the Somme fighting have led both sides to bring up new formations, according to despatches reaching here today.

The Berlin statement today reports the arrival of several new British divisions, while a semi-official communication issued in Paris says that the Germans have been obliged to call up twenty-two new divisions to the Somme.

HEROIC WORK AT HOME AS WELL AS IN THE WAR

Police Man Winter Was Much Credit For Way He Stopped Runaway Horse

A sensational runaway took place yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock, and great credit is given to Policeman Winter, who stopped the frightened animal at the corner of Mill and Pond streets.

CHATHAM WELCOMES RETURNED HEROES

Sergt. Mann and Pte. Miller Home After Long Time in War

Chatham, N. B., Aug. 18.—Chatham welcomed two more of its returned heroes last night—Sergt. J. Mann and Pte. S. Miller, the 12th Highlanders.

FREDERICKSON BROTHERS MEET AT THE FRONT

Writing to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederickson, of Fredericton, N. B., are glad to hear that the boys are doing well.

POLICE COURT

William Kelly was given a stiff sentence in the police court this morning for selling lumber from the premises of W. A. Lawton in the Marsh road.

SAYS THEY PLAN A NEW FRANCE IN DOMINION

Ontario Government Member on the School Question

Hon. G. H. Ferguson Says Responsibility for Present Situation in Upper Canada Rests With French Teaching Orders

Toronto, Aug. 19.—The Mail and Empire morning reporter's speech by Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, in the South-West Toronto bye-election last night is as follows: "One newspaper, he said, had an interview suggesting that what I said on the school question was calculated to stir up strife between Protestants and Catholics."

GERMANS BEGINNING TO CONSERVE MAN POWER

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New York, Aug. 19.—The London correspondent of the Tribune, cabling last night said: "The German counter-blow north of the Somme has been broken and the British and French guns united in their thunder."

ASSUME TONE OF CHEER ON EMPEROR'S BIRTHDAY

Vienna, Aug. 19.—Field Marshal Archduke Frederick, commander-in-chief of the Austrian army, yesterday sent the following message of congratulation to Emperor Francis Joseph on the occasion of the monarch's birthday:

PARIS DENIES THAT GERMAN CROWN PRINCE IS IN HOSPITAL IN VERDUN

Paris, Aug. 18.—A report that the German Crown Prince, Frederick William, is wounded and is in a hospital in Verdun is authoritatively denied.

IS GERMAN NAVAL ATTACK IN THE BALTIC SOON COMING?

New York, Aug. 19.—A London cable to the Tribune says: "The Germans are about to launch a naval attack in the Baltic near the Riga section, according to Swedish reports which reached here yesterday."



ANOTHER SHATTERED DREAM. PARIS, VERDUN, and other locations are marked on the map.

Confident In Not Distant Triumph of The Allies

J. M. Beck, Back From Front, Gives Interview in London; Had Talk With Joffre and Speaks of Many Encouraging Statements He Made

London, Aug. 19.—James M. Beck, on the eve of his return to America, has given an interview to the Daily Telegraph in which he says: "I carry with me a spirit of absolute confidence in the ultimate and not distant triumph of the Allies, of which I have seen so many striking evidences."

"The commanding general entertained me in the trenches, and on the menu card was a Gallic cock crowing lustily on the battlements of Verdun. It was a happy symbol, for I believe the Verdun fight is slowly ending and it will prove the turning point of the war."

INTENSE SUFFERINGS OF ARMENIAN REFUGEES

Deported by Turks Into Northern Arabia, They Are Dying of Sickness and Starvation

Boston, Aug. 19.—A statement describing the hardships suffered by Armenian refugees in northern Arabia was made public yesterday by Rev. Dr. James E. Barton, chairman of the American Committee for Armenia and Syria relief.

FINDS 'TWILIGHT SLEEP' DANGEROUS

Baltimore, Aug. 19.—Johns Hopkins Hospital has virtually set its stamp of disapproval on the damnable or "twilight sleep" method of child birth.

WOULD PREVENT SALE OF VESSELS TO FRANCE

Chicago, Aug. 19.—Judge Keneaw M. Landis of the federal court yesterday entered a temporary restraining order preventing the Great Lakes and St. Lawrence Transportation Company from selling nine of its fleet of ships to the French government.

COLD STORAGE EGGS MUST BE STAMPED IN NEW YORK

Buffalo, N.Y., Aug. 19.—An order issued by the state commissioner of food and markets is worrying commission men here. It requires that every egg in cold storage must be stamped "cold storage" after Sept. 1.

ORANGE DEGREES

At a meeting in the Orange Lodge room in St. Martin's fort higher oranges will be conferred on several members.

TEN DEATHS

The deaths registered at the board of health during the last week were: Phthisis, 3; broncho pneumonia, 2; peritonitis, convulsions, arteria sclerosis, perniciosa anemia, accidental injuries, one each.

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"The battle continues along the whole front, from Poitiers to the Somme with the allied forces attacking everywhere. Only two days passed since Foch and Haig, in a joint assault, carried positions along a three mile front. It is highly significant that the advance has been resumed after so short an interval, indicating the shortage of German reserves and the thoroughness with which the allies have carried out the operations preliminary to the assault."

Heavy Work. With the British Army in France, Aug. 18.—With the skies clear for artillery observations, following the heavy rains, the English and French attacked the German lines this afternoon along the entire front from the Ancre to the Somme, where their blows during the last six weeks have broken the German first line everywhere and the second line at many points.

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