

TO-DAY'S Messages.

11.00 A. M.

NOVA SCOTIANS ENJOY THE FIGHTING.
ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT.—I met some worn and muddy Canadians returning from beyond the pimple, as it is called, yesterday afternoon. Among them were many Nova Scotians. They had been fighting since from Sunday night till Friday night, and declared they enjoyed every minute of it. They swung along with the dog-tired but satisfied gait of men returning from a day's hunting expedition.

CANADIAN CASUALTIES.

OTTAWA, To-day.
The conspicuous triumphs at the front of the past week, in which the Canadians participated splendidly are not being accomplished without the human toll of killed and wounded, and missing. The exact extent of the killed is not known. All four divisions are reported as in movement. On account of the number engaged the losses comparatively are said to be large. The week end lists contained the names of 644 casualties, a goodly proportion being officers.

GRATEFUL AND PATRIOTIC.

CAPE TOWN, South Africa, via Reuter's Ottawa Agency, To-day.
As a South African party congress yesterday Hon. F. D. Malan, Minister of Mines, announced that the Union Government had decided to grant the Imperial Government, one million pounds sterling in recognition of the protection afforded by the Navy under which exports from Africa had proceeded as usual notwithstanding the war.

BRITISH THREATEN LILLE.

LONDON, To-day.
The report published in a Sunday paper that the British had actually entered Lens was evidently premature, but the civilian population evacuated the town on Friday and great fires are burning, showing that the Germans are destroying their stores preparatory to their departure, according to the Staff Correspondent of the Associated Press. A British official statement announced that the British troops are on the outskirts of the town. Field Marshal Haig's principal object, however, in his advance on Lens is rather to turn La-Bassee from the South, La-Bassee and Lens forming the principal outworks of Lille, which is the key to the whole German position in Flanders. Once the two towns are in the hands of the British Lille will be seriously threatened. The German attack astride the Bapaume-Cambrai road to-day and yesterday shows the importance attached to defending the junction of the Hindenburg line to St. Quentin and La Fere, with the line hastily organized between Lens and Beaucourt, near Cambrai, when the Germans chief of office Hindenburg realized that Vimy Ridge was seriously threatened. The British nearly broke through at Bullecourt, which is near this junction, last week. Although failing there, Field Marshal Haig transferred his attention further north. Danger for the Germans still exists, especially as, according to the Associated Press Cor-

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respondent, the Hindenburg line is still far from being properly organized. Reuter's Correspondent at British Headquarters gives an interesting story of how a British officer stated beforehand that a model of Vimy Ridge was moulded by an ingenious officer out of plaster, and indicating every natural feature, trenches, railways, defences, roads, streams, even the mine craters, prepared from aerial fighters, direct observation and all available knowledge that could be gained; and that the knowledge thus gained proved of immense advantage when the attack was carried out.

ALEXIEFF APPOINTED COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

PETROGRAD, To-day.
General Michael Alexieff has been definitely appointed Commander-in-Chief of the Russian armies. He was appointed Acting Commander-in-Chief a few weeks ago.

CHARACTERISTIC GERMAN PLOT.

BOSTON, Mass., To-day.
An emissary of the German Government recently offered Charles M. Schwab the sum of \$100,000,000 on condition that he induce the Bethlehem Steel Corporation to abandon the manufacture of munitions for the Allies. Mayor Curley, speaking yesterday at a patriotic meeting in Rensselaer High School Building, created something of a sensation when he declared that he had received this information directly from Schwab. The Mayor said the statement was made

about two weeks ago at the launching by the Mayor of an Argentine transport at Fore River shipyards, and that Schwab had told him the offer was made two days before this country declared a state of war with Germany.

TURKS INTERN AMERICAN SHIP.

AMSTERDAM, To-day.
The American guardship Scorpion has been interned at Constantinople by the Turkish Government. The Scorpion was given 24 hours to leave the harbour, but was unable to do so and was therefore interned in accordance with the Hague convention.

TIMES CORRESPONDENT OPTIMISTIC FOR ONCE.

LONDON, To-day.
The Times military correspondent, reviewing the battle of the past week, notes that it is being fought by four of the British armies in France over more than fifty miles of front, and says "We have not hitherto attempted to fight a great offensive battle with more than one or at most two of our armies simultaneously. We warmly admire the excellence of the staff arrangements, the close co-operation of the neighbouring armies and the orderly advance of the whole line," adding "the attack of Vimy Ridge by General Horne's Army was a masterpiece of modern tactics." Discussing the German retreat, the correspondent says that the Germans left the Somme and the Ancre because they were unable to stay and left Vimy Ridge because they were "kicked off." "The fear of our artillery on the whole," he says, "appears to have been the main cause of the retreat. Our armies now all have their guns. Let the Germans bury themselves as deep as they please. The deeper they go the more the prisoners. The gun and howitzer have beaten the trench, and so long as our artillery armament is superior, shells plentiful and airmen have machines and guns equal to the enemy we must regard the Germans as lost souls." The correspondent predicts that the victory of Vimy Ridge will be repeated at the next German positions when the British guns are brought up, unless the Germans denude the Eastern front for the benefit of the West. This they may elect to do, the transfer of some German troops from East to West having already begun. But, he adds "It would be absurd to suppose that the Germans on our front are weak. They are thicker there than anywhere else. They have sixty divisions against us."

BRITISH PROGRESS FURTHER.

LONDON, To-day.
The British captured last night the village of Velleret, southeast of Haghecourt, according to an official statement. They also made progress northwest of Lens.

2.15 P.M.

TO BLESS ANGLo-AMERICAN UNION.

MANCHESTER, To-day.
A special service will be held at Manchester Cathedral next Friday to "Invoke Divine Benediction on the strengthened ties between Great Britain and the United States." The Lord Mayor will attend in his official capacity as the representative of the city.

Left-over pieces of Boston brown bread may be made into a palatable dessert by pouring over them a sauce made of maple syrup and chopped dates and nuts.

Private M. Myler Died of Wounds.

Yesterday, Mrs. W. Myler, Adelaide Street, received official notification from the Adjutant-General at Ottawa conveying the sad intelligence that her son Private Matthew (C.E.F.) had died of wounds. Two days previously she had word that he was seriously ill in Hospital at Rouen, France. The latest official message to hand reads: "Deeply regret to inform you Private Matthew Myler, 488,778, previously reported seriously ill, is now officially reported dead. Died at Second Stationary Hospital, Outreau, April 12th, 1917." The deceased soldier was the eldest son of Mr. W. Myler (H.M.C.) and Mrs. Myler, Adelaide Street. He enlisted with "Ours" shortly after the outbreak of the war. Later he joined the Canadians and for over a year past had been "Somewhere in France." His brother Lance-Corporal Alexander was wounded with "Ours" in the July drive and is now home on furlough. Deceased was well known in the city and for many years was a prominent member of the C.C.C. band. To the bereaved family the Telegram expresses its condolence.

Casualty List.

(Received April 14th.)

The Following Admitted Wardsworth:
2752—Private Stanley B. Hussey, head Pleasant Street, Tonawanda.
2456—Private John Squires, Round Hr., N.D.B. Water on left knee.
2016—Private John H. Read, Channel. Fracture left foot; accidental.
J. R. BENNETT,
Colonial Secretary.

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Train Notes.

Yesterday's outgoing express left Grand Falls at 7.05 a.m. to-day.
There is no incoming express at present on the road.
The local train from Carbonear reached the city at 12.45 p.m. to-day.

Here and There.

WEATHER REPORT.—The weather across country is light N.E. wind and dull; temperature 33 to 42 above.

ACTRESS' CASE CONTINUED.—The Rossley Theatre Troupe case was concluded to-day in the Central District Court. Judgment will be given the latter part of the week.

DANCE AT C.C.C. HALL.—A dance, promoted by Mrs. C. Buckley, is being held at the C.C.C. Hall to-morrow night for a worthy purpose. All who attend are assured of an enjoyable time.

You are cordially invited to the Recital at Cochrane Street Centennial Church on Thursday evening, 19th inst., at 8.30. Special programme of organ and choir music. Admission free. Silver collection for the Red Cross Funds.—April 16.

ETHIE AND GLENCOE.—The Ethie arrived at Placentia at 1 p.m. yesterday, leaving for the west after arrival of to-day's train. The Glencoe left Placentia through at 7.30 p.m., coming to Placentia.

STONE THROWING NUISANCE.—At 12.30 p.m. to-day a little girl attending school in St. Vincent de Paul's Hall, received a nasty cut on the forehead from a stone thrown by a boy. Blood flowed freely from the wound and the little sufferer was taken to Parsons' Drug Store where the cut was dressed, after which the little girl was taken to her home.

AT GRENELL HALL.—Rev. Dr. Jones, Rector of St. Thomas's Church, delivered a powerful address at the Grenfell Hall last night to a packed audience, additional seats having to be provided. Taking as his subject "The Resurrection," the reverend gentleman held his audience for over an hour with the closest attention, and the manner in which he treated his subject will not soon be forgotten by those whose privilege it was to be present.

RECEPTACLE BADLY BATTERED.—A lady resident of the East End, wishing to comply with the new Municipal regulations, relative to hermedically sealed receptacles for ashes, purchased a suitable article on Saturday night at \$1.50. Yesterday morning she discovered to her surprise, that some unscrupulous person had seized the sidewalk ornament and battered it in pieces, the cover alone being uninjured. A similar case happened on Springdale Street last night. If the culprits have no respect for the new regulations, they should have at least respect for those who observe them.



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