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COUNTER ATTACKS RESULT IN FURTHER GAINS FOR ALLIES French Recapture Positions West of Mont Kemmel

Further Advantages Gained by the Allies in Hangard-Villers-Bretonneux Sector; Severe Fighting on Lys Front and Enemy Advance is Held at all **Points**

By Courier Leased Wire

London, April 27.—Continuing their counter-attacks on the front east of Amiens, the Allies have gained further advantages in the Hangard-Villers-Bretonneux sector, it is announced officially.

The French have recaptured positions from Locre to La Clytte, in Flanders, west of Mont Kemmel.

The fighting on the Flanders front north of Lys was very severe. The enemy advance was held at all points. Heavy losses were inflicted on the

FRENCH CASUALTIES. Paris, April 27.—A German attack near Thennes, on the front southeast of Amiens, was

broken up last night, the War Office announces. Artillery fighting continues on the front between Villers-Bretonneux and

The statement follows: "During the night the artil-lery battle was continued along the front between Villers-Bretonneux and Hangard, There was no change in the situation. "The German's attacked our defences on the line of railroad

west of Thennes, but were not able to approach our positions. "We carried out successful raids in the region of the Oise Canal near the Loivre and northeast of Carnillet and took a number of prisoners. "The artillery fighting was rather severe on the right bank

ties in the British ranks reported this week totalled 18,369. The losses were divided Killed or died of wounds: Officers, 408; men, 2,661. Wounded or missing: Officers, 2,071; men, 13,229.

Despite the heavy fighting for more than a month past the British casualties reported are only now beginning to approach the high figures for week after week of last year when the British were on the offensive on the western front. The increase recently has been on the average of 50 per cent. each week over the week preceding. Last week the aggregate was 12,368 and the previous week 8,129.

of the Meuse (Verdun front)." London, April 27.—Casual-UTMOST EFFORT REQUIRED

Py Courier Leased Wire supply the wastage in the ceaseless the situation as in nowise yet stab-

perilous and momentous than any do it quickly before American rethat has hitherto arisen, even in this appailing war," writes the military correspondent of The Daily Mont Kemmel on the situation at the difficulty in holding Types

finitely more intricate and costly." We are faced with a crisis more mean to break through, they must

London, April 27.— Commenting The Daily News in an editorial, but the tenure would be costly and on the Flanders battle in serious cays the situation has changed seri- precarious. It hopes that it will be tones, the morning newspapers on ously for the worst as a result of found possible to dislodge the lend that the situation imposes the fighting of the past two days, enemy as at Villers-Bretonneux, upon Great Britain the necessity of and that the German drive toward otherwise, it says a further withputting forth the utmost effort, es- the channel is a matter of serious drawal of the Ypres line may be depecially of furnishing more men to concern. Nevertheless it regards sirable. The Chronicle contends, however, that the present value of ilized and says that if the Germans Ypres is only secondary.

Telegraph. "Possession of the channel ports by the enemy would make our task on land and sea in
the difficulty in holding Ypres could be increased materially. It concludes by urging the necessity of maintaining the supply of men.

CAMPAIGN TO

Two Hundred Brantford Boys Will Aid Red Triangle Fund

Thursday next starts a nevel cam- By Courier Leased Wire. Women's Patriotic League in conjunction with the local Council of Women and Canadian Red Cross was held in the Y.M.C.A. on Friday afternoon, Mrs. Livingston presiding.

Two new societies, namely, the Nurse's Alumnae and the South Brant Women's Institute applied for affiliation. This it gave the meeting act that Brantford has always bitten off the larger "chunk," and has the secured who will Earn and Save \$10 each, and these boys are not to beg, borrow or "buildoze" it from their dads. They are expected, by their days, some of the strength, penetrating the enemy's front line and support areas.

Our domination of two Man's Land has never been more complete, nor have we ever conducted such constant operations of an aggressive character with less cost to ourselves. Our battalion has raised the enemy's front line and support areas.

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> At Fort William grain in store includes: Wheat, 8,493,102 bushels: oats, 8,209,072; barley, 2,247,803 bushels; flax, 1,183,530 bushels.
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> Military policemen fired on a deserter named E. Meloche, who attempted to escape at Ottawa and tempted to escape at Ottawa, and inflicted a slight wound.
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IN DEBATE ON ALIENS.
H. S. Clements whose resolution regarding aliens in Canada was car.

years of age, whose accession to the throne would prevent the crown passing is the Prince Consort, Henry of Mecklenburg-Schuarin and the Royal Palace EARN AND GIVE DELIBERATELY HARASS AND WORRY THE ENEMY ing wedge and hard is sucd. A particularly

BE CONDUCTED Canadians Raid Boche Lines Persistently; Sorties Are a Nightly Occurrence, and Often Executed Withoutt Casualties to Our Men

Thursday next starts a nevel campain in Canada, which promises to help the Red Triangle Fund of the Y.M.C.A. in no small degree. This will be called the Earn and Give Campaign, and is a movement by which the boys of Canada will make a vital contribution. Brantford's boys' share in the undertaking will be limited to 200 boys. In other words, 200 Brantford boys are to be secured who will Earn and Save \$10 each, and these boys are not to beg, borrow or "buildoze" it from their from the field, via London, April 27—(By W. A. Willison, Canadian Press correspondent).—Carrying out a deliberate policy of harassing and worrying the enemy, the Canadians all along their front, are raiding the Bosche lines persistently. Not a night passes without one or two or three raids, some of them of a minor nature against hostile posts, others in strength, penetrating the enemy's front line and support areas.

Leader in Boy Knight W. IN ACTION

my five times in the past week with-out suffering a single casualty. A sergeant in another regiment work, ing his way alone to the enemy lines, "eat up" this proposal as their elders have done with Red Cross and other patriotic fund campaigns.

found thirteen Bosches asleep beside a machine gun. He crept into the post, captured the gun, returned with it to our lines and organized an offensive party which went back to get some of the Bosches. But the garrison had awakened in the meantime and had been reinforced with the result that the post was held in the great trength ton.

> While our infantry has been worrying the enemy, so constantly and so successfully, securing identifications, bombing dugouts, rushing posts and penetrating the opposing lines, our artillery has been very active not only in very active not only in supporting raids with intensive barrage fire, but in harassing the enemy. In the midst of such activity comprehensive preparations are being made to observe Mother's Day, May 12. The chaplains are giving special services at parade services voluntarily mid week and Sunday evenings meetings, while the religious work committee of the Canadian Y.M.C.A. is conducting a movement aimed at having every man write home to his mother on

that day.

The association is to supply specially printed envelopes to the men and is posting up large cards in the carteen huts, calling attention to the day.—Bulletins are also being shown at all its einemas, urging the men to write home, and special cards are being printed with a message to Canadian mothers. Danadian mothers.

It is hoped that mothers will write

Corn is now moving into Canada, and will be available for human consumption and for feed for live stock.

to their sons in France on the same

severe gashes in his throat.

Terrible Execution Wrought in German Ranks by Machine Guns

VALIANT RESISTANCE

French Held the Hill for Length of Time Now Unknown

With the British army in France, April 26. - (By the Associated Press)-How long the French region ment was able to continue its dramatic resistance on the crest of Mont. Kemmel yesterday, may not be known until the German historians record it after the war. It was ed in encireling Kemmel after force Germany has long cast covetous ing back the Allied line at eyes at the Dutch coast and only one junction of the French and British young life, Princess Julian, stands west of Wytschaete. From that between Germany and her object, time until late in the day regiments The large picture at the top is clung to the hill and continued ter-Lange Posten, the chief business rible execution among the street of The Hague. Insert, Queen

nd out of the hamlet for hourst The British counter-stroke which custed the Germans from Villers Bretonneux, south of the Somme. was a great success from the starts The town had been cleared of the enemy by yesterday afternoon with the exception of two "pockets" of infantry, one near the railway station and the other near the neighboring monument of the war of 1870. These pockets were cleared

up last evening.
Several light British tanks were used against the enemy at the monument. There was fierce fights ing in the streets and the town at-Leader in Boy Knight Work
Reverted in Rank to Reach

ter the British launched their counter-attack at 10 o'clock. British gunners had been deluging the place with gas and the assaulting infantry went in wearing gas mad The Germans also were forced don their masks and the streets were filled quickly with mady fighting men who looked like beings from another world, in the big eyes of their face protectors. The low lown hall was full of boches. Many of them had retired to the cellar, where they were trying to sleep in their gas masks, for there had been no thought of a British attack that night

Large numbers of the enemy were slain in the streets and many were taken prisoner. By Thursday morning those who had been hiding were crawling out and surrendering freely. They were still wearing their gas masks

Among the prisoners captured were several young officers, who gave their opinion of things in general with refreshing candor.

A British officer in talking with one of the young German liquides ants, asked the latter to explain why the German submarines had sunk only one American transport "That is what we would like know," the youngster replied. When the reason for all the world being against the Germans, he gave he same reply. The officer said the Germans had been wondering about these very problems and others of similar nature for some time. The captured officers appeared to be clean-cut fellows of good types. one of the young German lie

was also an active worker many spheres of social o deavor, and the news of h death will come as a blow his many friends.

Hon. T. C. Norris, Premier Manitoba, will pay an official to Manitoba's citizen soldiers France some time this summer. Walter Tovell, one of the th Guelph young men injured in automobile accident near Breakdied at the Kitchener and Water Hospital.

Canada's trade during the ending with March increased \$315.292.044, totalling in ex

SPEND LAST DOLLAR TO WIN WAR, SAYS BORDEN

Spirit of Canada is Patriotism Incarnate—Vast Majority of People of Quebec Accepting Conscription.

By Courier Leased Wire New York, April 27 .- The New York Sun this morning publishes a lengthy interview with Sir Robert Borden, who arrived in this city yesterday. Sir Robert is quoted as saying that Canada will spend her last dollar to win the war and that every able-bodied man will be conscripted. "The spirit of Canada?" exclaimed the premier in response to a question. 'No words of mine can picture

it. It is patriotism incarnate." To exemplify this spirit Sir Robert produced the letter from the Ontario lad, who pleaded for a chance to follow his father and brother overseas to aid in holding the Canadian line on the western front. "1 read that letter in the House of Commons," said the Premier, "and it affected the members of that body like the spirited rendition of the National Anthem. What can I say that that letter does not say? What can anyone think of a country whose very hoys plead for a chance to die for it?"

Speaking of the recent disturbances in Quebec, Sir Rebert is quoted as saying: "The disturbances in Quehec have been very greatly exaggerated by the stories that have come out of Canada. The vast majority of the people of the Province are loyally accepting conscription." Sir Robert will leave New

WEATHER BULLETIN 27.— The baro-meter is high



over the south western states there is an important' area of pressure which will probably slowly toward the great lakes The weather is fair throughout

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Forecasts Easterly winds, a few light local showers, but partly fair to-day and on Sunday, a little higher tempera-

York to-night on his way back to Ottawa. He will confer today with Sir Thomas White. who will represent Canada in the negotiations with the United States and Great Britain as regards war financing. He may also see Lord Reading and A. K. MacLean. Sir Robert. would not divulge the definite errand that brings him to New York, but it is believed by financiers here that his visit is very likely to be followed by an announcement of the establishment in the United States of a Canadian credit large enough to cover the adverse

ada's war purchses. SUGAR BOUND FOR U.S. WAS

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Motorists Passing Through City Had Quantity in Their Possession

Motorists from American cities, passing through Brant-tord yesterday, were halted by W. Scruton of the local customs department, and several hundred pounds of sugar stored in the cars confiscated, under the authority of the order in-coun-cil which prohibits the export of sugar from Canada to the United States, he tourists had been buying up whatever amounts they could secure at the various cities through which they passed en route, and had amassed a considerable quan-tity when they came to grief at the local authorities. A quantity of flour was also contained in the cars, but as the export of it is not prohibited, no action was taken in that regard. Mr. Scruton and other officials of the customs department have been on the watch for possible infringements of the export law for some time, but this is the first extensive attempt at tempt at evasion of the law which has come to their atten-tion. Legal proceedings against the would be food-hoarders will be instituted.

UF WUMEN IU MEEI HERE IN JUNE NEX

Invitation Extended by Women's Patriotic League is Accepted PLANS ARE UNDER WAY

A well attended meeting of the Women's Patriotic League in con-junction with the local Council of

Mrs. Rhys Fairbairn of Toronto. ecretary of the National Council of

Women, was present, and in the name of the National Council formally accepted the invitation to hold the June conference in Brantford. As this will mean the billeting and entertaining of one hundred and twenty-five of the most representative women of Canada for nine days, plans, were accepted. CONFISCATED

The civic authorities and the governing bodies of the Mohawk Institute and the Ontario School of the Blind have already promised to do all in their power to show the visitors Brantford's unique institutions. The formation of various committees was left in the hands of the execu-

It was moved by Mrs. Gordon Smith and seconded by Mrs. Hurley, that fifty dollars be donated to the Women's College Hospital in Toronto, this sum to be taken from the special fund. Carried. A comprehensive report was then brought in by Mrs. Second, convenor of the Committee on Citizenship. Various resolutions re the fuel situation, street oiling, etc., A resolution of the Equal Franchise Club, protesting against the six months' hoist to the Eligibility

Bill. was also endorsed.

Mrs. William Watt made an earnest plea for more workers in the surgiacl dressings department. A COURIER CLASSIFIED Do you want to trade? Is there some article which you really need, for which you would be willing to trade some possession which you can do without? Well, there are lots of other tolks who feel just as you do, and some one of them may have just what you need. You can locate them more easily, more surely and more cheaply through a Classified Ad in The Courier than in any other way. Just phone 139.

ried in the House Monday night, is shown in the upper left; P. C. McIntosh Nanaimo, upper right, and R. F. Green West Kootenay, at the bottom. Both opposed Chinese labor in British Columb.ai and will be available for human consumption and for feed for live stock.

A. Matthews, a recruit is in the military hospital at Wolseley Barracks, London, Ont., suffering from severe gashes in his throat.

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your husband, Pte. Alfred Hunt, killed in action April 14." Such was the heart rending telegram received this morning by Mrs. M. Hunt, 142 Elgin street, announcing the death of her husband, Professor Alfred Hunt, the originator of the Boy

Front.

"Deeply regret to inform you

PROF. A. HUNT. Knight movement in this city.

Professor Hunt was a man in whom burned the true spirit of whom burned the true spirit of patriotism, for, going overseas with the rank of lieutenant in the 118th Battalion of Water-loo County, he reverted to the rank of private in order to reach the front, where he has now made the supreme sacrifice. While in the city, he was actively connected with the Boy Knight movement, which he founded locally, in fact, and