

THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1918

INTO OSTEND FROM SEA AND LAND AND AIR

Germans Have Fled Precipitately From There

ALLIES CLOSING THE GAP

Space Between Advancing Foes and Dutch Border Narrowing—Big Possibilities in Movement Near Ghent Canal—Capture of Douai

With the Allied Armies in Belgium, Oct. 17.—(By the Associated Press, 5 p. m.)—The enemy has been driven back rapidly everywhere today and the entire front from the sea southward is in motion. The British have entered Lille. The Germans have fled precipitately from Ostend and that section of the Belgian coast. British naval forces have landed at Ostend, while Belgian aviators landed in the centre of the city amid the cheers of the inhabitants.

Meanwhile the Belgian infantry and French cavalry sweeping up toward the coast at last reports were rapidly near the city and probably will be in it before daylight. Ostend is reported entirely free now of Germans, those left in the city as rear guards having been accounted for.

The Germans seem to be in full flight everywhere, especially from Belgium, for the gap through which they must escape between the advancing Allied troops and the frontier of Holland is constantly being narrowed, and unless the enemy moves rapidly large numbers may be caught.

The entire Lille salient, it seems, is being evacuated by the hard pressed Huns. Even south of here they have had no rest.

East of St. Sulpice after crossing the river and defeating the Germans on the other side, the British and Americans stormed the continuation of the enemy Valenciennes-Lez-lez line and appear to have made great progress.

Little wire was encountered, for the enemy had not had time to lay more than a few strands. New points taken nearly a mile on the other side of the river means that the Valenciennes-Lez-lez line has been turned. The Germans are unable to send reinforcements here in any number, for they are handicapped by the same considerations that prevent them from sending help to the tattered divisions which have been fighting in Flanders.

The thousands of civilians have been released. How many prisoners and guns have been captured is unknown, but the number of prisoners cannot be large. The Germans have been going so fast that they have not had time to remove their heavy pieces. A force of Belgians, assisted by French cavalry and infantry, is reported to be driving northward to strike the bridges on the east and also cut the Ghent Canal. Wide possibilities exist in this movement.

Capture of Douai.
London, Oct. 17.—An official statement tonight says:

"British and American troops attacked on a front of nine miles northeast of Bohain where heavy fighting has taken place all day. Strong opposition was met with along the whole front."

"On the right our troops, attacking in close co-operation with the French forces north of the Oise, have advanced to a depth of more than two miles across high wooded ground east of Bohain and have captured Andigny-Lez-Ferres."

"Further north they carried the line of the Selle River on the whole front south of Lez-lez and made progress on the high ground east of the river, capturing the villages of La Vallée, Mulatre and L'Arbre de Guise."

"On the left flank of our attack we cleared the eastern portion of Lez-lez and established ourselves on the line of the railway beyond the town. The enemy was holding his position in force, seven German divisions being disposed on the front of our attack and in the course of the fighting they delivered several determined counter-attacks. All these attacks were repulsed and heavy losses inflicted on the enemy. More than 3,000 prisoners were taken in these operations."

"Threatened by the continued progress of Allied attacks south of the Sene and north of the Lys the enemy is hastening his retreat from the salient at Douai and Lille."

"Today our troops entered the town of Douai, having broken the resistance of the enemy's rear guard on the line of the Haute Deule Canal. Troops of the fifth British army under General Birdwood, having pressed the enemy's rear guards back with great determination for many weeks, have today encircled and captured Lille."

MORNING WAR NOTES

King Albert of Belgium and Queen Elisabeth entered Ostend yesterday afternoon. Unofficial reports say the German rear guards were either killed or captured.

According to a bulletin issued by the Rotterdam Courant, the German army command has ordered its armies to cease devastating places unless absolutely compelled by military necessity.

In the last three months the British, French and Americans have captured 4,600 guns from the Germans, which represents one-fourth of all of their artillery.

A despatch from Berlin forwarded from Copenhagen says that at a recent meeting of the Hungarian parliament a proclamation was read declaring Hungary to be an independent state.

A report from Russia declares that according to official declarations of the Soviet, Chief Nicholas Romanoff has been tried and condemned to death. He was to be shot during the night of the 16th. This is believed to mean Grand Duke Nicholas, former commander-in-chief of the Russian Army.

RECENT WEDDINGS

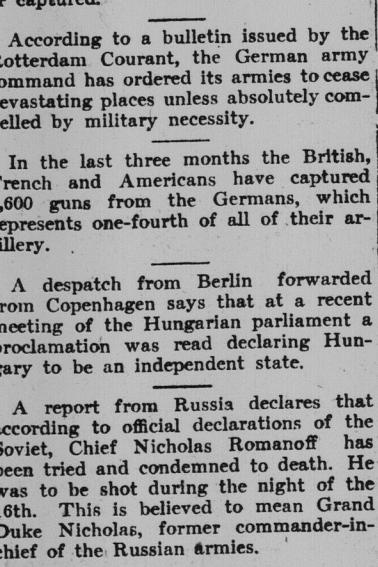
George D. Day, Chipman, N. B., and Emma Rogers, Stanley, were married at the residence of Rev. Milton Addison, Fredericton, Tuesday evening, by Rev. Mr. Addison.

The wedding of Wallace Ervine Lindsay of Brown's Plains to Miss Clarissa C. Dunham of Gray's Mills took place yesterday at 80 Main street, Rev. Dr. D. Hume officiating.

Through the intervention of Senator Robertson, the C. P. R. has consented to an adjustment of the differences with the striking employees at Calgary on a basis more favorable to the men. The proposals have been forwarded to the strike leaders.

P. E. L. Rector Makes Change.
Toronto, Oct. 17.—The Rev. T. W. Murphy, rector of St. Paul's church, Charlottetown (P. E. I.), has been appointed rector of All Saints' church, Toronto, and will begin his duties in the parish on Sunday, November 17.

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Large Cans Tomatoes.....25c
Maple Leaf Peas.....15c
Cosmos Soap, 4 for.....25c
Lenox Soap, 4 for.....25c
Mixed Pickles.....15c bottle
Sweet Pickles.....20c bottle
Other Goods Equally Cheap.
10-22

Extra Specials for Saturday

Imperial Jelly Powder, 3 pkgs.....25c
St. Charles Milk, 2 for.....25c
Condensed Milk, Mayflower.....25c
Clams, 2 tins.....35c
Gold Soap, 4 for.....30c
Surprise Soap, 4 for.....30c
Split Peas, 2 lbs.....25c
Whole Green Peas, 2 lbs.....25c
2 in 1 Shoe Polish, 3 tins.....27c
Campbell's Soups, 2 tins.....35c
Sunder's Soups.....45c
C & S Coffee, 1 lb. tin.....25c
Cow Brand Soda, 6 for.....25c
Salt, 2 bags.....25c
Lipton's Cocoa, 3 for.....25c
2 lbs. Soda Biscuits.....25c
Our Special.....25c
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Orange Pekoe.....55c lb.
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Red Rose.....60c pkgs.
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Fancy Mixed Biscuits.....22c lb.
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2 1/2 ounce bottle Pure Gold Vanilla.....22c
Lilac Rose Glycerine Soap.....10c
Black Knight or Sultana Stove Polish.....25c
2 tins Clams.....For 35c
Oysters.....19c tin
2 bottles Libby's Sweet Pickles.....For 35c
Shaker Salt.....10c pkgs.
Klondike Egg Powder.....2 for 25c
Khovah Custard Powder.....2 for 25c
Chicken Huddle.....22c tin
2 pkgs. Red Ribbon Raisins.....27c
3 tins Old Dutch.....27c

SOAP
4 cakes Surprise.....30c
4 cakes Gold.....30c
4 cakes White Naphtha.....27c
4 cakes Lenox.....27c
4 cakes Fairy.....27c
4 cakes Ivory.....25c
4 cakes Comfort.....25c
4 pkgs. Ammonia Powder.....25c
4 pkgs. Toilet Paper.....25c
6 pkgs. Cow Brand Soda.....25c
3 tins Lenox.....25c
2 pkgs. Baker's Cocoa.....25c
2 pkgs. Tapioca.....25c
Lux.....10c pkgs.
7 lbs. Choice Canadian Onions.....25c

4 cakes Surprise.....30c
4 cakes Gold.....30c
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6 pkgs. Cow Brand Soda.....25c
3 tins Lenox.....25c
2 pkgs. Baker's Cocoa.....25c
2 pkgs. Tapioca.....25c
Lux.....10c pkgs.
7 lbs. Choice Canadian Onions.....25c

4 cakes Surprise.....30c
4 cakes Gold.....30c
4 cakes White Naphtha.....27c
4 cakes Lenox.....27c
4 cakes Fairy.....27c
4 cakes Ivory.....25c
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6 pkgs. Cow Brand Soda.....25c
3 tins Lenox.....25c
2 pkgs. Baker's Cocoa.....25c
2 pkgs. Tapioca.....25c
Lux.....10c pkgs.
7 lbs. Choice Canadian Onions.....25c

4 cakes Surprise.....30c
4 cakes Gold.....30c
4 cakes White Naphtha.....27c
4 cakes Lenox.....27c
4 cakes Fairy.....27c
4 cakes Ivory.....25c
4 cakes Comfort.....25c
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4 pkgs. Toilet Paper.....25c
6 pkgs. Cow Brand Soda.....25c
3 tins Lenox.....25c
2 pkgs. Baker's Cocoa.....25c
2 pkgs. Tapioca.....25c
Lux.....10c pkgs.
7 lbs. Choice Canadian Onions.....25c

4 cakes Surprise.....30c
4 cakes Gold.....30c
4 cakes White Naphtha.....27c
4 cakes Lenox.....27c
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4 cakes Ivory.....25c
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6 pkgs. Cow Brand Soda.....25c
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2 pkgs. Baker's Cocoa.....25c
2 pkgs. Tapioca.....25c
Lux.....10c pkgs.
7 lbs. Choice Canadian Onions.....25c

4 cakes Surprise.....30c
4 cakes Gold.....30c
4 cakes White Naphtha.....27c
4 cakes Lenox.....27c
4 cakes Fairy.....27c
4 cakes Ivory.....25c
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6 pkgs. Cow Brand Soda.....25c
3 tins Lenox.....25c
2 pkgs. Baker's Cocoa.....25c
2 pkgs. Tapioca.....25c
Lux.....10c pkgs.
7 lbs. Choice Canadian Onions.....25c

4 cakes Surprise.....30c
4 cakes Gold.....30c
4 cakes White Naphtha.....27c
4 cakes Lenox.....27c
4 cakes Fairy.....27c
4 cakes Ivory.....25c
4 cakes Comfort.....25c
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4 pkgs. Toilet Paper.....25c
6 pkgs. Cow Brand Soda.....25c
3 tins Lenox.....25c
2 pkgs. Baker's Cocoa.....25c
2 pkgs. Tapioca.....25c
Lux.....10c pkgs.
7 lbs. Choice Canadian Onions.....25c

4 cakes Surprise.....30c
4 cakes Gold.....30c
4 cakes White Naphtha.....27c
4 cakes Lenox.....27c
4 cakes Fairy.....27c
4 cakes Ivory.....25c
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6 pkgs. Cow Brand Soda.....25c
3 tins Lenox.....25c
2 pkgs. Baker's Cocoa.....25c
2 pkgs. Tapioca.....25c
Lux.....10c pkgs.
7 lbs. Choice Canadian Onions.....25c

4 cakes Surprise.....30c
4 cakes Gold.....30c
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4 cakes Lenox.....27c
4 cakes Fairy.....27c
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2 pkgs. Tapioca.....25c
Lux.....10c pkgs.
7 lbs. Choice Canadian Onions.....25c

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6 pkgs. Cow Brand Soda.....25c
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2 pkgs. Baker's Cocoa.....25c
2 pkgs. Tapioca.....25c
Lux.....10c pkgs.
7 lbs. Choice Canadian Onions.....25c

4 cakes Surprise.....30c
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4 cakes White Naphtha.....27c
4 cakes Lenox.....27c
4 cakes Fairy.....27c
4 cakes Ivory.....25c
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4 pkgs. Toilet Paper.....25c
6 pkgs. Cow Brand Soda.....25c
3 tins Lenox.....25c
2 pkgs. Baker's Cocoa.....25c
2 pkgs. Tapioca.....25c
Lux.....10c pkgs.
7 lbs. Choice Canadian Onions.....25c

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