

British Activities Are Extended South In Region Of The Somme

Military operations of importance are taking place in two sectors of the Franco-Belgian front. The British have extended their activities farther south in the Somme region and Berlin today reports an attack near Bouvencourt, north of Peronne. This is declared to have been repulsed and an effort to repeat it frustrated.

SUBMARINES FAIL TO MAKE BRITAIN SHORT OF SUPPLIES

New York, March 6.—The London correspondent of the Sun cables his paper this morning as follows: "As answer to Germany's contention that her submarines are starving Great Britain, the government took a party of neutral correspondents on a three days' tour of the greatest merchant shipping centers of the kingdom—Liverpool, Manchester, and London."

SMALLPOX TAKES GRIP IN BERLIN

The havoc, March 6.—An outbreak of smallpox in Berlin and its immediate vicinity has induced the military authorities to order compulsory vaccination. Eighty cases have already been reported.

WORST OF SEASON

Quebec, March 6.—Quebec experienced the worst storm of the season yesterday. Rail and water traffic is demoralized. There fell eleven and a half inches of snow and a fifty-eight mile gale.

PERSONALS

W. I. Fenton and his daughter, Miss Valde Fenton, are to leave tonight for a week's visit in Boston.

NOTICES OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS, 50c.

DEATHS

MONAHAN—In this city on March 6, 1917, after a lingering illness, Elizabeth Monahan, widow of the late William Monahan, Sussex.

IN MEMORIAM

PARLEE—In loving memory of our dear sister, Mrs. Charles E. Parlee, St. John, N. B., who departed this life on March 6, 1916—Come, but not forgotten. You are not forgotten, sister dear, nor will you ever be.

CARDS OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. John McKelvey wish to thank their many friends for their sympathy and kindness extended to them during their recent sad bereavement.

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

KIPLING'S "LIGHT THAT FAILED" OPENS AT THE EMPRESS

Don't Suffer From Piles

No matter how long or how bad—go to your druggist today and get a 25-cent box of Pyramid Pile Treatment.

HIS CLOSE CALL

One of Major Markham's Experiences on the Western Front—The Shell That Did Not Explode

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MEETING OF OPPOSITION MEN THIS EVENING

LOCAL NEWS

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RECORD PRICE FOR PALM BEACH PROPERTY

Palm Beach, Fla., Mar. 6.—Edward T. Stotesbury, of Philadelphia, who has spent several weeks at the Breakers Hotel here every winter since he came on his honeymoon five years ago, will become a permanent winter resident, having purchased for \$5,000, a strip of land with 170 foot frontage on Lake Road.

LAST CHANCES TONIGHT

If you've not seen Theda Bara in "Her Double Life," at the Gem, you've missed one of the best of pictures. It will be shown twice more tonight, with the best vaudeville acts.

POVERTY WIDESPREAD IN AUSTRIA

London, Mar. 6.—The situation among the poorer classes in Austria is extremely dire, owing to the heavy losses sustained by the government in the purchase of food for the soldiers.

TRAIN'S LATE

The trains were all late in arriving in the city today, owing to the heavy snow storm. The Montreal was two hours and ten minutes late and the Boston one hour and thirty minutes.

BRAZIL'S FOREIGN MINISTER, DR. LAUBO MULLER

London, March 6.—Naval airplanes dropped many heavy bombs on blast furnaces at Brebach (in the Sarbrucken district of Rhenish Prussia) on Sunday. All the airplanes returned safely.

ORDERED TO ANCHORAGE

Honolulu, March 6.—German merchant steamers taking refuge in this port were under orders of the harbor commission here today to leave their piers and anchor outside the harbor. It was said the order was issued to guard against possible damage to the vessels if they continued to lie at the piers.

"Holding Up the Hands of the Government"

Hands up! The farmer scrambled hurriedly up the bank and frantically waving his hands to the volunteer party shouted: "Hey, hey, stop that shinin', will ye? Ye've shot a man—and it might have been the horse!"

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Eastern (after first day's work on a big Western ranch)—Will you please send me where I can sleep tonight? Rancher—Where you can sleep? Great Scott, man, here's 10,000 acres; just pick out any blame spot that suits you and go to it!

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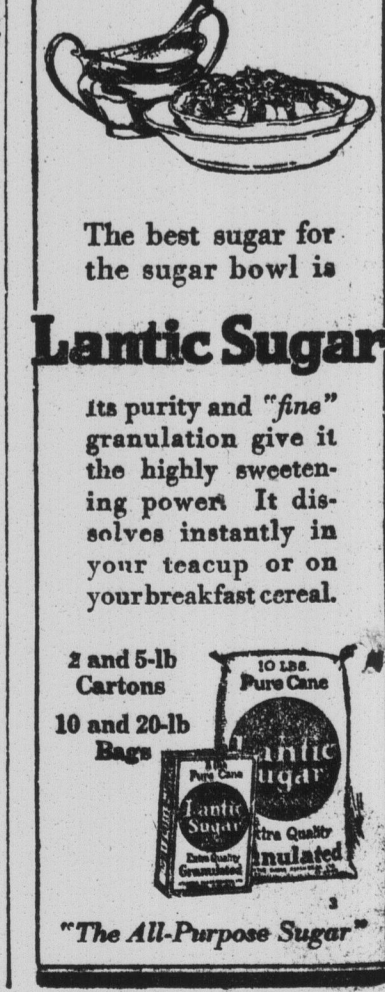
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