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## French Tells of

PARIS, Sept. 14.---3:16 p.m.---It was officially announced this afternoon that the Germans still are retiring everywhere. They are abandoning all the positions which they erected to cover a possible retreat.

### ECLIPSE ANYTHING OF PREVIOUS EXHIBITIONS

Opening Day Finds More Exhibits Than Ever Before and Every Prospect for Splendid 1914 Show-Best Exhibits From Toronto Secured.

Not only is every available concession taken and every stall in the live stock buildings occupied, but exfulfillment of that prophecy.

At the directors' meeting at noon for the Midway, except one, had re-today Captain Reid declared that the number of entries was the greatest on first performance this afternoon. record. There had been several un-

A bigger and better Western Fair with, among others the occupation of than ever before is the confident the fair grounds by the artillery prev-prophecy of Captain W. J. Reid, the jous to its departure for Valcartier, president of the board, and every in-but these had been met quite satisfacdication today pointed to a triumphant torily, the grounds were in first-class shape, and he had no doubt that,

tra accommodation has had to be provided for some of the animals. Moreover the cattle, hogs, poultry shows over the cattle, hogs, poultry, sheep and horses are of a higher quality generally than has been the case in any previous year.

In this connection, Captain

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When Settlement Comes at End of War, Belgium Also Will Have To Be Recompensed, and France Will Want Considerable Sum.

New York, Sept. 14. - A London cnormous.

Lorraine, when the time comes for Germany to settle with the allies, but for the Kaiser ever again to disturb iso the return of the billion dollars in- the world's peace. don is not talking much of peace, and successes in the eastern theatre of war. rumors from America of some sugges- have aroused great joy

tions from Count Von Bernstorff, the German ambassador at Washington, arouse little comment. The reason is of the situation is Russia's future. In that the demands to be made on Ger- event of the allies being victorious, Rusmany are so vast, apparently, that it sia becomes one of the most powerful s held here she will have to be brought nations in the world. Some observers absolutely to her knees before it will fear her power, but others believe that, be any use to formulate them. Various Demands.

dollar indemnity, which the French are and shows every tendency to give fairer is the dismantlement of the German army. Thus, for the first time in Rus-

Belgium, which, it is said, will "Conversations with high officials here

"France is expected here to demand, the Belgians is one of the noi only the relinquishment of Alsace- things in Britain's mind, together with the destruction of Prussianism in all its pernicious forms, making it impossible "Last week's splendid achievements

"As a matter of fact, however, Lon- in France, accompanied by the Russian

Future of Russia. "One of the most interesting phases with Slavism united, Russia will become liberalized. Russia has already official-'An instance of this is the billion ly promised Polish reforms and liberty, believed to be hoping to get back. treatment to the Jews, to many of whom Another, if the British have their way, have been given commissions in the

### Then there is the indemnity for stan history, Jews command Russians.' GERMAN ROUT DEEPENING INTO COMPLETE DISASTER

Times' Correspondent Doubts Whether Forces Can Get a Breathing Space-Enemy is Doing Homeward Journey in Record Time.

(Canadian Press.) London, Sept. 14.-The correspondent of the Times at Bordeaux suggests that the German rout is deepening into lieved that she is incarcerated with complete disaster, that the invaders are turning homeward by way of St. Quentin and Mezieres, on the Luxemburg frontier, that the German forces in the Argonne and south of Verdun are likely to be cut off from the remainder, in which event they can escape only at a heavy price. He adds: "The German rout is so complete that it is more than doubtful whether the enemy will be able to find a breathing place on the only likely position which runs through Peronne and St. Quentin. The enemy is making for a line of retreat through Charleville and Mezieres, and is doing the homeward journey in record time."

### 500,000 FRESH FRENCH TROOPS READY FOR PURSUIT

London, Sept. 14. - A dispatch "The general in command in Paris has a half million fresh troops under his control, which will be used presumably, in pursuing the enemy. 'News that the German forces from Buelow, Crown Prince Frederick Wil- will be destroyed. liam, the Duke of Wurtemberg, and that operating in Moselle, are in retreat.

natural route, the Valley of the Oise, endeavoring to withdraw further eastward to the barren and difficult country of the Champagne, where the roads are poor and provisions scant. A Formidable Barrier

"Beyond is the forest of Ardennes, and to the east the wooded and clay ridges of the forest of Argonne, as for-Pont-a-Mousson to Saint Die are fall- midable a barrier to progress as any ing back shows that the five German army could have. Beyond is the armies of generals Von Kluck, Von Meuse, most of the bridges of which

"If they actually have abandoned the Oise Vailey, the German lines of com-The difficulties of the retreating munication are reduced to one, passing army are many, and there are good by Givet, Namur and Liege. The other chances that the allies may annihilate passing Mezierres, Montmedy and Luxthem before they reach the frontier. The emburg, the next line to the south, is Germans appear to the abandoning their commanded by the guns at Verdun.

#### A SPLENDID TRIBUTE.

The following has been received by Major Hume Cronyn, honorary treasurer of the Patriotic Fund. from G. A. Warburton, of the Toronto Y. M. C. A., who gave valuable assistance to the campaign: 'Dear Major Cronyn-Hearty congratulations upon what London has

ne. It shows that the name of the old city is worthily borne by the new. You have no towers or palaces, but you have men of loyalty and fine spirit-far more immortal. We are all one now in the fellowship of a great crisis, and we have, because of this, an opportunity to prove the stuff that we are made of.

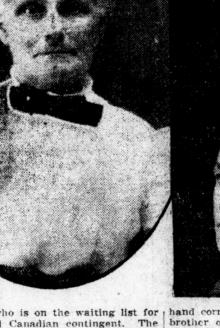
"My best regards to Colonel Gartshore, Mr. Mitchell and Mr. Philip (whose detail work was so faithfully and well done), and to all the others, officers and privates in the war on selfishness and in aid of (Sgd.) G. A. WARBURTON." humanity Sincerely.

Toronto Sept. 12, 1914.

LONDON FAIR ENTRIES London Mother Sends Three Sons to the Front COLOSSAL STRATEGIC ATTEMPT



Sacrifices made by towns, by cities, a fourth who is on the waiting list for hand corner), and Fred Pritchard, twin



fices made by heroic Canadian moth-ers. Mrs. Lucy Pritchard, 513 Hill served through the South African war. street, whose picture appears in the and who is now at Valcarteir, having member of the First Hussars, and is centre of the above group, has sent enlisted with the Sixth Battery here; on the waiting list for the second con-three of her sons to the front, and has Corporal Edward Pritchard (upper left tingent.

### TERRIFIC ROUT OF GERMANS SWELLS RIVERS WITH DEAD MUCH HAND-TO-HAND FIGHTING

IRON GRIP OF KAISER IN BAVARIAN PROVINCE



Captain P. H. Anderson, who until wo years ago was commander of the Ordnance Corps in Military Division No. 1, with headquarters in this city is believed to be a prisoner in a Bavarian fortress, according to his mother in-law, Mrs. Spencer Logan, of Surrey, London indicate that Mrs. Anderson i also in Bayaria, though it is not be

The story of Anderson's imprison follows in brief:

ish consul at Munich assured him that the river Aisne. statement until August 4. The next not revealed, but it is evdent that they day the consul was obliged to flee to do not intend to make a stand on the save himself, the actualy news of Great line from Rheims to Soissons, and it is

Anderson was put under supervision. and was interned in the common jail et-Marne, to the frontier. The heavy Lorraine had been liberated. on August 22, and then liberated on parole because he was a Canadian, with the stipulation that if Canada supported England he would be treated as an Englishman and would be committed to the fortress. Mrs. Logan expects he has suffered this fate now.

On Retired List. Capt. Anderson is now on the retired list, having left the active service mo than two years ago

QUEBEC BOY SHOT WHILE OUT HUNTING

[Canadian Press.] Quebec, Sept. 14.-Arthur Rancour, a oy of 17, was instantly killed yesterday afternoon, when a compani-Napoleon Boivin, who was out bunting with him, shot him through the throat in the Quebec suburbs.

#### LIEUT. ERMATINGER OFF TO VALCARTIER.

assigned to.

ST. THOMAS, Sept. 13 .- Lieut. Percy Ermatinger, son of Judge Ermatinger, St. Thomas, left Sunday for Valcartier in the British constabulary after the against the proposed abolition of the war was over. When leaving he did war was over. When leaving he did capitulations, drawn up in terms idennot know what duty he would be

London Times' Correspondent on Battle Line Describes the Terrible Onslaught of the Allies' Last Week.

[Canadian Press.] Sept. 14.-4:51 a.m. A ht dawn in the region of LaFerte Times correspondent, who wires from five miles south of Provins in the department of Seine-et-Marne, says: "I have traveled to this point practically along the whole line of the hold on their very best, in order that opposition was intended. The allies in beat the enemy back. act led their opponents straight into a trap. The English cavalry led the plan was accomplished, and it got no 600 dead Germans were counted. further. Artillery Fire Poor.

"The fighting on Sunday, September

Allied army, though, of course, always the attacking force at Meaux might in the rear. General Von Kluck's achieve its task in security. The battle hosts, in coming over the Marne and lasted all night and until Monday. The the Grand Morine rivers to Sezanne, German artillery fire was very severe, 25 miles southwest of Epernay, met but not accurate. The French and little opposition, and I believe little English fought sternly on, and slowly Terrible Losses tired Germans mile after mile, and the cross the Marne at Meaux entailed Germans believed the Englishmen were terrible losses. Sixteen attempts were running away. When the tremendous foiled by the French artillery fire di-

derstagood it would be their duty to

"The attempts of the Germans to advance reached Provins, the allies' rected on the river, and in one trench the dead and dying. When at last Continued on Page Eleven.

### UNLIKELY TO STOP SHORT OF BELGIUM

### Germans Evidently Will Not Make Stand On Rheims-Soissons Line--- French Government Busy Reviving Trade.

and Gen. Von Buelow continued at last horses to draw them. On the trouble between Austria and accounts with considerable rapidity. The

Paris, Sept. 14. — 6:20 a.m. — The likely to facilitate the movement of the famous 420 milimetre mortars that were carrying, half dragging him towards had a thrilling escape from Germany, retreat of the armies of Gen. Von Kluck to reduce Paris, and which require forty

Servia starting, Capt. Anderson thought only official comment last night was The armies of Generals Von Hausen it at once desirable to return to his that the allies were keeping in con- and the Prince of Wuerttemberg, military duty in Canada, but the Brit- tact with the enemy and had crossed which constituted the centre, seem to be headed toward Rethel and Mezieres, Britain was neutral, adhering to this The whereabouts of the Germans was though part of this force is reported as still resisting at the south end of the

Britain's action being received by Capt. hardly likely, it is thought here, that Anderson privately. Hasty preparations they will halt their retreat before of Reverse and Consol Von Prince. It was reported last night that the made for a journey were futile, trains and automobiles being held up. Capt. Provence, in the department of Seine- that the entire territory of French

### **MOST OF AUSTRIAN** ARMY CAPITULATES

Rumor Current in Petrograd, Says Correspondent—Italy Protests Against Turkish Action.

[Canadian Press.] London, Sept. 14. - 10:05 a. m.-A

dispatch from Paris to Reuter's Telescam Company says: "A telegram from l'etrograd to the Matin states that persistent rumors are current there that previous to 8 a.m.
Stations. Hig the larger part of the Austrian armies capitulated yesterday.

"The Figare calls attention to the fact Parry Sound..... that Italy, displaying for the first time He is a veteran of the Boer her detachment from the Triple Al-Montreal ......



HE LOCAL TEM. PERATURES. the top. Following were temperatures recorded in London during the night: Highest, 70; lowest, 42. peratures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were:

TOMORROW-LOCAL SHOWERS. Forecasts. Fresh to strong southeasterly to southerly winds; fair and moderately

warm today; some local showers on Tuesday. Temperatures The fololwing were the lowest temperatures during the 24 hours High. Low. Calgary Ottawa ...... 62

against the proposed abolition of the capitulations, drawn up in terms identical to that of the Triple Entente Down A. Since Saturday the pressure has remained high over the eastern portion of the continent and low over the western portion

## OF GERMANS TO FLANK ALLIES PROVED TO BE DISMAL FAILUR

TRAPPED IN SILO **WESTMINSTER MAN** FATALLY BURNED

Henry Nichols, Caught When Barn Takes Fire, Expires in Few Hours.

Destructive Fire and Serious Accident.

der on the farm of Hugh Dale, lot 24, concession 2. Westminster Township. A companion Henry Smith, who tried to save him, also nearly perished in 6, was of a tarrine character and began the flames. Dr. Roy Routledge, of Lambeth,

Gaucher. The allies' troops, who were attended the man. His injured drawn up to receive the Germans, unburned from the heat. The barn adjoining the sile was burned to the started from a spark from a traction

Was Aiding Neighbor. Dale had called a silo-filling "bee" or today, and had invited many of the south. is neighbors to the farm. Nichols was among them.

volunteered to "stamp down" in the silo, and had entered through one of the side doors, which was closed when filling operations commenced. While the work was going on. a spark from the traction engine driving keep the sile machine settled in the caves of the barn. The timber was dry, and a moment a part of the roof was were evidently

o fire was first noticed to secure pails nd water. In the excitement Nichols realize what was happening until sparks from the burning roof fell into the silo, igniting the dry ensilage. Smith and Nichols rushed across the silo to the door. It resisted their efforts to open, and the fire in the big coment cylinder, fanned by a draft from allies.

below, caught on to the lower part of the pile. In a moment it was a mass of flame. Nichols was overcome by the dense moke almost immediately. Smith grabbed the unconscious man, and, half another door higher up, yelled for help

and tried to open the barricade. Tries to Rescue Nichols. By this time the lower part of the ensilage was burning fiercely. Smith, almost exhausted, dragged his comrade up on to the top of the pile, where they were sheltered from the flames, but not from the intense heat, which scorched their exposed skin and charred

A long ladder was secured from the house, but it was too short to reach the imprisoned men. Smith was about to fall exhausted when a rope touched his hands. He grasped it and slipped the noose under the shoulders of his unconscious com-

panion. Then he grasped the line and the eager men above pulled them to Nichols' body was badly charred. His coothing, except for a few shreds, was ompletely gone. Only the crown of his lat remained to cover his head where the hair had been burned away. . physician was summoned at once. and Smith was brought around almost

immediately, but Nichol did not regain consciousness. When picked up his ! reathing was almost inperceptible. with the party who pulled the men of the silo were Hugh Dale, Art Dale, William Dunean and John Rhame. In their efforts to save the two men, Highest, 64; lowest, the barn was ignored, with the result that it is a complete loss. Farmers from miles around drove hastily to the spot to give assistance

#### PASSES DIVIDENDS

Trade Depression Affects Nova Scotia stated, has been repulsed. Steel and Coal Company. [Canadian Press.]

Halifax, N. S., Sept. 14.-The holders Austrian army in Galicia is in sore been expedited by a threat to of the preferred and common stocks of straits, but the story of its complete Brussels. the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Com- destruction is evidently exaggerated, as pany will receive no dividends next the latest Russian reports indicate that

succeeding the beginning of the Euro- wing was hurled back into the marshes come to an agreement with the

Official British Report of Six Days' Recen Fighting Describes Rout of Germans Marked By Outrages On Villagers.

(Canadian Press.)

London, Sept. 14.-1:52 p.m.-The official press bure issued the following statement this afternoon: "The follow report is compiled from information sent from headquarters Field Marshal John French. commander of the British expe tionary forces on the continent, under date of September A summary of the operations of the British army in Fran was issued by the war office on the 6th inst., and an accou stated to be incomplete, of further operations, was issued fi HIS COMPANION ESCAPES the bureau on Saturday night, the 12th.

Sacrifices made by towns, by cities, a fourth who is on the waiting list for by corporations and by communities, the second Canadian contingent. The brother of Edward, who enlisted with pale into insignificance with the sacri- three who have gone are Garfield Jenthale into insignificance with the sacri- three who have gone are Garfield Jenthale into insignificance with the sacri- three who have gone are Garfield Jenthale into insignificance with the sacri-This account is compiled from data received from the fr

September, both days inclusive. "It will be remembered that the general position of troops on Sunday. September 6. was stated to be south of River Marne, with the French forces in line on our right Trapped in a silo, the contents of left. Practically there had been no change in the situat which had become a roaring furnace, since Thursday. September 3, which marked the end of while men made desperate efforts to army's long retirement from the Belgian frontier thro ....... rance.

### der on the farm of Hugh Dale, lot 24, Germans Ignored British; Tried To Flank Allie

Change in Plans. "On Friday, September 4, it became his | apparent that there was an alteration and his lungs were badly in the advance of almost the whole since the battle near Mons on the 23rd of August, had been playing its part ained, was valued at \$5,000. The fire in a colossal strategic endeavor to create a Sedan for the allies by outflanking and enveloping the left of

> drive both the British and French to "There was now a change in its oblective, and it was observed that the German forces opposite the British Nichol and Smith had were beginning to move in a southeasterly direction instead of southwest onto the capital, leaving a strong rear guard along the line of the River Ourcq (which flows south of and joins the Marne at Lizy-Sur-Ourcq), which by then had been formed and

was to the northwest of Paris. They executing amounted to a flank march diagonally

Would lanore British "Prepared to ignore the British as right flank, the Germans on th being driven out of the fight, they commenced to retire towards the were initiating an effort to attack the east. left finak of the main French army, which stretched in a long, curved line from our right towards the east, and attack at Mons a fortnight before so to carry out against it alone an en- from reports received, the order velopment which had so far failed treat when so close to Paris against the combined forces of the

"On Saturday, the 5th, this move-doubt there was a general imp ment on the part of the Germans was amongst the enemy's troops tha continued and large advance parties crossed the Marne southward at Trilport, Sammeron, La Ferte-Sous-Jouarre

siderable fighting with the French in the French left which fell bac!

its position south of the Marne to "On Sunday large hostile crossed the Marne and push ish right, further to the east were attacked at night by the fifth army, which captured three their whole line, so as to encircle and

Allies Advance. allies. In this quarter of the fi forces, which had now been rein the French fifth army to the no of the French sixth army to the ward against the German rear

"Possibly weakened by the ment of troops to the eastern of operations, and realizing the the line of Ourcq and the adva the British, places their own fl movement in considerable dans being taken in the rear and

found on dead soldiers, there Hand-to-Hand Fighting

'On Tuesday, September 8.

### INCONTESTABLE" VICTORY ALLIES SAYS GEN. JOFFF

Left Wing Has Crossed River Aisne—Germany Warns People Against Too Great Optimism-Austrians Hard Pressed and May Be Trapped.

[Canadian Press.]

'Incontestable' is the adjective used by cation from Paris indicates that the advance is continuing all along the line with the allies' left wing now across the river Aisne.

But little news and that of the vaguest sort filters through from Germany regarding the operations in the west, though it is evident from the tone of Berlin official statements that the days in the Brussels-Louvainpeople are bing warned not to be too triangle, forcing the Germans to optimistic, as certain reverses may be don much of that portion of Be expected. The latest actual battle In connection with this movem Paris on September 6, which, it is German communications. Other

Austrians in Sore Straits. Dispatches from many sources, including Vienna, indicates that the The retirement is also expected General Ruszky's forces are still meet-President R. S. Harris, in a circular ing with organized resistance. It is Paris newspaper that the Germa sent out to shareholders, explains that evident, however, from the disposition ernor of the occupied Belgian te the dividends are to be passed be- of the combatants that the Austrian entered Antwerp under an agreed cause of trade depression prior to and centre was crumpled up, while the left safe conduct in a fruitless attermined to the Function of the combatants that the Austrian entered Antwerp under an agreed to the following was hurled back into the marshes same to an agreement with the

posed of the flower of the A troops, may be caught in a trap, ing unconditional surrender the alternative. given out in Petrograd says tha force, rather than risk the turni his left flank by the Germans Forced Out Germans.

turned to its Antwerp base with official explanation that it has inforcements from joining the a ces declare that the Belgians wer pelled to return because the Ge were strongly reinforced from

One of the most interesting of the river San. This left wing, com- Government.