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H. A. BRAZIER, City Engineer. Ap. 25, 27.

City of London, Ontario

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COSTLY LIMA, O., FIRE

Lima, Ohio, April 25.—Federal agents today are investigating three fires which broke out simultaneously in the Lake Erie and Western Railroad shops here last night, and practically destroyed the plant, valued at $500,000. One arrest has been made, and it is said others may be made during the day.

Property loss included at least ten locomotives urgently needed in war work, a new train of troop coaches, just completed, and a score of other coaches. Ten thousand dollars' worth of Liberty bond subscriptions were burned in the office of the shops. For some time a considerable part of Lima was threatened by the fire.

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Mr. Rowell Replies in Negative to Question.

MEWBURN IN MUDDLE

Premier Says He Should Explain M. S. A. Regulations.

OTTAWA, April 24.—Hon. Charles Murphy in the House this afternoon asked if the Government was aware that in a report from Perley, Morse & Co. of New York to the attorney-general of New York State it was disclosed that Bolo Pasha had transferred the sum of $170,000 from his account in the Royal Bank of Canada to J. P. Morgan & Co. Mr. Murphy asked further if the Government had taken any steps to investigate the dealings of Bolo Pasha in Canada.

To each of the questions Hon. Mr. Rowell replied "No."

Mr. Baldwin asked if at the time the Government took over the Ross rifle factory the British Government had stated that it was in a position to manufacture all the Lee Enfields needed.

Major-General Mewburn—The British Government had at the time of the taking over of the Ross rifle factory stated that it was in a position to supply Canadian troops with the necessary rifle."

Mr. Rowell Says "No."

Mr. Casgrain questioned if prior to the general election last December the president of the privy council, Hon. N. W. Rowell, had an interview with Rev. Dr. Chown, Rev. Dr. Shearer and Rev. Ben Spence regarding the question of temperance or Dominion-wide prohibition.

Hon. Mr. Rowell—No.

Before the orders of the day were called Dr. J. E. Fontaine of Hull referred to the shooting of a man in that city by a member of the military police enforcing the military service act. He asked what information the Government had about the shooting.

Sir Robert Borden replied that the minister of justice would probably be in a position to make a statement with regard to this matter tomorrow.

Mewburn Should Explain.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that the minister of militia would confer a favor if he would explain clearly the meaning of all the new regulations under the military service act. Premier Borden agreed that it might be advisable to have a full explanation by the minister of militia and a discussion of the regulations.

Hon. Jacques Bureau asked the minister of militia whether men coming into medical category D would be required to report for service.

General Mewburn explained that registrars would be instructed to notify men who were physically fit. What was wanted was men who had been passed by the medical boards. Those who had not passed would not be required to report, and there was no intention of disturbing them at present.

Third reading was given to the $500,000,000 war appropriation bill.

Rapid headway was then made with Government bills. Third reading was given to the bill to encourage the organization and co-ordination of employment offices, and to the bill to amend the Indian act. The act to amend the companies act was then given a second reading and reported from committee.

Two hours of the afternoon sitting were spent in committee discussion of a bill presented by the minister of trade and commerce regarding the inspection of hay and straw. The discussion was still in progress when the committee rose for dinner recess.

MACKENZIE'S BILL TO HYDRO WILL GO UNPAID, SAYS BECK

Electrical Development Company Would Charge "Steam" Prices.

TORONTO, April 24.—Sir Adam Beck says that the hydro has no intention of paying the bill rendered by Sir William Mackenzie's company for the 13,500 horsepower which the power controller, Sir Henry Drayton ordered to be supplied to the hydro.

"Last November they took off three units, or 4,000 horsepower, from our supply at Niagara," stated Sir Adam. "The power controller ordered that they should give us back one unit, or 13,500 horsepower, but when they rendered their account they charged us for steam prices."

"What do you think of Manager Fleming's statement that the figures given by the hydro regarding the power it supplies to munition plants is rubbish?" asked a reporter.

"When Bob Fleming says that, he has no idea of what he is saying. If he will check up his own affairs we shall attend to ours. Unless all our engineers, who are university men, are scoundrels or liars, I think that their figures shall be accepted," declared Sir Adam. "But what is the Electrical Development Company doing about these essential and non-essential industries?" he asked.

"We cut off a firm at Niagara Falls because we considered it was non-essential, and Mr. Fleming's company took it up. We were supplying them with power at $12.50 and they are charging $25 for it."

ENEMY DRIVEN FROM HEIGHTS DOMINATING THE VARDON VALLEY

Allies Push Advantage and Capture Two More Villages.

PARIS, April 24.—The official statement from Macedonia reads:

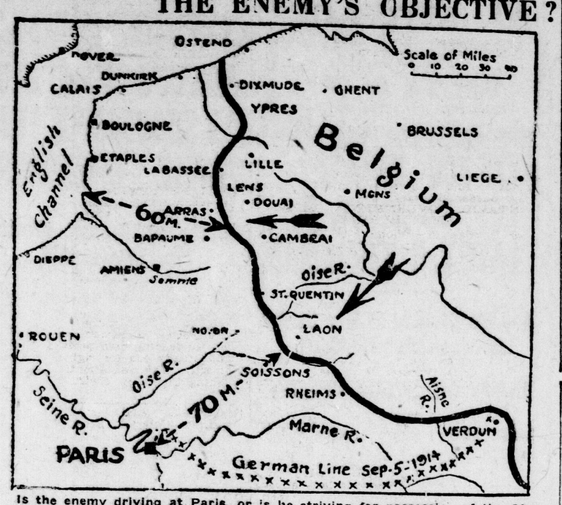
"Eastern Theatre, April 23.—Very spirited fighting activity has continued in the various sectors. The day was marked by a series of new successes for our troops. West of Doiran British detachments penetrated the Bulgarian trenches on an extended front; they destroyed shelters and inflicted very serious losses on the enemy. In the region west of the lakes a mobile reconnoitering column operating north of Davoli drove the enemy from the line of heights which dominate the right bank of the Vardar Valley, and pushing beyond, occupied the villages of Sais and Strelca, taking prisoners. On both sides of the Cerna bend and on the Serbian front we repulsed several enemy attacks, notably a new attempt by the Bulgarians to retake the work which the Serbians captured April 21."

AMERICAN AVIATOR WINGS TWO HUNS

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Major William Thaw, commander of the Lafayette squadron, brought down two German airplanes April 20, a dispatch from Paris today announced.

GALT.—Rev. A. A. Hovey of Hamilton, N. Y., has accepted a call to become pastor of the South Water Street Baptist Church, and will assume his duties here on June 9.

IS PARIS OR THE CHANNEL THE ENEMY'S OBJECTIVE?



Is the enemy driving at Paris, or is he striving for possession of the Channel Ports? Recent news of his offensive shows him attacking defences south of Arras at a point which is 60 miles from the coast, while the greatest depth of his drive reaches to a point little less than 60 miles.

WESTERN ONTARIO BRIEFS

Owen T. Gablin, 24, whose home is near Seaforth, has been brought to London from Sarnia, where he was turned over to the Dominion police after attempting to cross to the States. He had an exemption as a farmer, but no permit to leave Canada.

Two London boys were taken in charge by the Sarnia police on their arrival there Tuesday night. One is still being held while the parents of the second sent on money for his return ticket to London.

Bert Bradley, a hydro electric lineman, was instantly killed at Harriston when he touched a live wire. It was the second death from the same cause at the same spot.

At a Conservative caucus in Goderich it was decided to recommend ex-Mayor Charles Reid as magistrate to succeed W. E. Kelly, resigned.

Sarnia's patriotic campaign objective is set at $75,000. The campaign will be held in May.

Capt. Kenneth Torrance, M.C., son of R. L. Torrance, manager of the Royal Bank at Guelph, has been promoted to brigade major in the imperial army. In a letter home he says: "We are confident that we can hold the Hun now."

Miss Roberta MacAdams, M.P.P. of Alberta, the soldiers' representative in the provincial legislature, addressing the Winnipeg Woman's Canadian Club yesterday paid the greatest tribute to the way English women are "carrying on" with war work. Miss MacAdams will visit her old home in Sarnia before returning to the front as a nursing sister.

The Waterloo county board of agriculture has passed a resolution calling on all residents of the country to work for greater production.

Donald McMillan of Alexander, had his collarbone and shoulder broken when a culvert gave way and threw him under a load of logs.

Daniel Mathews, former reeve of Simcoe and of Wingham Township, died at Simcoe in his 77th year.

Charles Thompson, the Dawn Township farmer who is accused of the theft of eight head of cattle from an Enniskillen Township farm, has been committed for trial at Oil Springs. Bail has been refused.

A medical board at Kitchener, reexamining men placed in Category D by former boards, started work yesterday. Over 60 per cent of those examined have been placed in "A" category by the second examination.

The funeral of Police Magistrate Leggatt of Windsor was held on Wednesday from his residence to St. John's Cemetery. The active pallbearers were members of the Windsor police force. Honorary pallbearers were members of the Essex County bar and personal friends. As a mark of honor the inquiry sitting of the supreme court at Sandwich was adjourned at noon by Sir Glenholme Falconbridge in order that the members of the legal profession could attend the funeral.

An advance in hydro rates at St. Thomas is forecasted.

Fire destroyed the home of C. A. Yorkes, Woodslee, and the C. O. F. hall. The M. C. R. station caught fire but was saved by hard work.

Further charges are expected to follow in the wake of the whiskey stealing case at Blenheim, in which nine men have been arrested for the theft of liquor from a bonded car at the station. Information has been laid against two more men for breaches of the O. T. A.

Farmers in the vicinity of Duart have been unable to secure spring wheat seed. The fact that the Government called for greater production of spring wheat and then failed to supply sufficient seed is the subject of adverse criticism. Although spring wheat has not been a profitable crop in Duart district many intended sowing it this year.

Accidental discharge of a revolver shot away two toes of Glen Smith, son of Gordon Smith of Woodslee.

On account of the increased cost of coal, Guelph water rates have been increased by reducing the discount to 10 per cent.

Crown Attorney Bowlby of Kitchener has applied for authority to investigate the death of Walter A. Tovell, who died as the result of injuries received in a motor accident. An hour after the man died, a Guelph undertaker secured a permit to remove the body, and it is now in Wellington County.

Henry Juettine, aged 20, of Tilbury East, who was arrested at Chatham as an alien enemy and for uttering seditious statements, has been remanded for a week. He may be eligible for service in the American army.

To conserve hydro at Galt, an order has been made at the request of Mayor Dakin to compel the Grand River Railway to use its steam plant to generate power instead of using hydro.

Convicted at Guelph of having liquor in places other than a private dwelling, Fred Leader was sentenced to a year at Burwash. It was Leader's second conviction.

A PERFECT MEDICINE FOR LITTLE ONES

Baby's Own Tablets are a perfect medicine for little ones. They regulate the bowels; sweeten the stomach thus drive out constipation, indigestion, break up colds and simple fevers and make teething easy. Concerning them Mrs. John Babineau, Brest, N. B. writes: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets and have found them a perfect medicine for little ones." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from the Dr Williams' Medicine Company, Brockville, Ont.

MARINES HUNTED HUNS FOR HOUR ON ENEMY MOLE

Chased the Germans Through Sliding Doors and Underground, Using Grenades.

London, April 25.—British marines who landed on the mole at Zeebrugge, according to an article in the Daily Mail, say that when the cruiser Vindictive got alongside the mole, it was found that of the fourteen gangways aboard all had been shot to pieces except two, which were damaged and shaky. Nevertheless, the men, headed by Capt. Edward Bamford and Lieut. G. C. Cooke, dashed over and landed on the ledge of the mole, but lost severely from the terrible shellfire. From the ledge there was a wall to be climbed, and then a drop of 20 feet which was negotiated by ropes and rope ladders.

Chased Germans.

"They tried to take our ladders," said a marine, "but we let them come within ten yards and then blew them away with grenades. Everyone of us had grenades, and we made the place lively with them for an hour. We chased the Germans through sliding doors and underground passages. Some of them ran, but others got into corners and sniped at us with rifles and machine guns.

"Evidently they were prepared for a possible attack, as the whole place was stuffed with machine guns."

Charged Gun Crew.

"After sinking a German destroyer, we forced our way ashore at the point of the bayonet and charged a gun crew which had been giving much trouble, killing many, and dispersing the rest, and capturing the gun. When we got back, the Vindictive presented a sad plight. The upper decks were slippery with blood. The cries and moans were heartrending. All around lay dead, dying and wounded."

ALLIED AERIAL ARMY HAD GERMANS BLIND FOR AN ENTIRE WEEK

And on Day Boches Again Ventured Out Their Champion Was Killed.

FRENCH HEADQUARTERS, April 24.—Via Reuter's Ottawa agency.—In a recent battle our airmen were assigned a new role. Our high command had foreseen that the enemy's advance would follow the roads leading towards Amiens, and consequently aerodromes of battle squadrons were so distributed as to flank and not face the line of the enemy's progress. Immediately battle was engaged in, our air squadrons not merely reported the movements, but delayed them by attacking troops and trains.

During the first two days of the battle mists prevented activity, but on March 23 there ensued the most severe air battle yet fought. The German air service was thought to have been defeated, and until March 29 we had unchallenged mastery of the air. For a week the German army was without eyes or ears. On the latter day the ill-fated Baron von Richthofen and his squadron appeared on the battlefield, but it was then too late. The delay the air service caused the Germans meant hours of invaluable time.

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ALLIES CHECK

FOE STRIKES TWO BLOWS.

London, April 24.—After three weeks of preparation in the Somme, during which time they launched an offensive in Flanders, the Germans have resumed their hammering at the front door of Amiens. For days there has been heavy artillery firing along the northern sectors of the Somme salient, and finally the German infantry began their attempts to advance on the line passing Villers-Bretonneux, Hangard-en-Santerre and Castel. The first attacks were repulsed, but subsequent attacks centred about Villers-Bretonneux have caused a British withdrawal from the village, according to a report from Field Marshal Haig. This marks a German gain of about a mile. The French official statement says the enemy gained a footing in the woods north of Hangard-en-Santerre and in the eastern outskirts of the village.

Villers-Bretonnenx is about eleven miles directly east of Amiens, and is on the northern end of the latest fighting front. It is situated between the Somme and the Luce Rivers, and while it is flanked on the south by the low-lying ground it is backed by rolling hills to the west and northwest.

Another Blow in Flanders.

This new drive has been made at the same time that another blow has been struck at the British and French lines northeast of Ypres. Savage fighting is reported at various points along the line from Bailleul to Merville, and Berlin claims that heights to the northeast of Bailleul have been stormed. Coincident with these attacks there have been assaults on the British forces near Bethune along the Lawe River, but there have been repulsed.

On the front in France, with the exception of the Somme salient, there has been little fighting of an unusual nature.

An attack on this particular part of the line in the Somme region had been expected. Recently a French counter-offensive at Castel won back considerable ground, and it was evident that unless the line farther north could be advanced materially, the Germans had little chance to make important gains in their operations to the south of Amiens.

VILLERS-BRETONNEUX AFTER LONG FIGHTING.

LONDON, April 24.—Field Marshal Haig reports that the Germans have taken Villers-Bretonneux.

The text of the statement reads:

"About 6:30 this morning, after a violent bombardment, the enemy attacked our whole front south of the Somme and the French on our right and was repulsed.

"Later in the morning an attack on this sector was repulsed, and although repulsed with loss on the southern and northern positions of the front, made progress at Villers-Bretonneux, where the fighting had been severe throughout the day. By evening the enemy had gained possession of the village, and the fighting was continuing.

"Other attacks by the enemy this morning on the north bank of the Somme and north of Albert were repulsed; we secured a few prisoners.

"By a successful local operation carried out this morning north of Festubert, a post captured by the enemy in this locality on the 22nd was regained. The hostile garrison offered strong resistance and lost heavily. We captured a few prisoners and machine guns.

"Early in the morning the enemy delivered a strong local attack without success, against our new positions east of Robecq. Our line was maintained intact and eighty-four prisoners were left in our hands. Additional prisoners were secured in successful minor enterprises in the forest of Niepe and in the neighborhood of Meteren."

FOE ENTERS WOOD NORTH OF HANGARD.

PARIS, April 24.—The battle on the whole front south of the Somme and on the Avre lasted all day and still continues, according to the war office announcement tonight. The Germans gained a footing in the woods to the northward of Hangard-en-Santerre and also in the eastern outskirts of the village, which the French are desperately defending.

Several enemy assaults were shattered near Hailles and attacks at Senecat wood and Hill 82 also failed.

The statement reads:

Americans Under Attack.

"An intense bombardment of the Franco-American positions south of the Somme and on the Avre was followed by a German attack carried out all along this front by a considerable force of stock in the morning. The efforts of the enemy were directed against Hangard-en-Santerre, the region of Hailles and Senecat wood.

"South of the Avre the battle, which lasted all day, continues at the present hour. It was particularly stubborn in the region of Hangard. After a series of furious assaults the enemy succeeded in gaining a footing in the wood north of Hangard, as well as in the eastern outskirts of the village, which our troops are desperately defending.

Beaten Elsewhere.

"The fighting was less violent in the neighborhood of Hailles. Several enemy assaults directed against the ridge east of the village were broken down by our fire and our counter-attacks.

"Farther to the south the Germans were similarly checked in their attempts against Senecat wood and Hill 82, which remained entirely in our possession. On the right bank of the Meuse the artillery was quite active."

GERMANS USE TANKS IN DRIVE ON VILLERS.

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, April 24.—2 p.m.—By The Associated Press—Hard fighting developed this morning on the southern battle front, the enemy attacking south of the Somme along the line of Villers-Bretonneux, Hangard-en-Santerre Hailles and Castel.

Early developments indicated that the Germans were trying only for limited objectives.

On the British sector, Villers-Bretonneux, which nestles on a ridge overlooking the long stretch of the Somme Valley, was the storm centre, and here the enemy, for the first time since the war began, had tanks in action. Three of these tanks accompanied the storming infantry, which had battled forward into the eastern outskirts of the town, where severe fighting took place.

From the French sector came word that the Germans had made very slight progress.

Heavy Bombardment.

The assault was preceded by a heavy bombardment about Villers-Bretonneux. At the conclusion of this preparation, the Germans surged forward along the whole British front south of the Somme although it seemed evident that they had Villers-Bretonneux as their ultimate goal, because of its dominating position.

The first attack was thrown back, but the enemy immediately came forward again, and this time met with more success. In the face of heavy machine-gun and rifle fire the Germans pushed on toward the town, their three tanks leading. The British gave way slightly and the enemy got footing in the eastern fringe of the town.

Flare Up Near Albert.

Farther north, a little above the Albert region, the British infantry put up an "S. O. S." for artillery protection about 4 o'clock this morning and what appeared to promise a serious attack, began to show. It turned out to be nothing more pretentious than an attempted raid, however, and the British artillery smashed the enemy infantry as they were leaving their trenches.

Between Robecq and Givenchy-La-Bassee there was also considerable enemy shelling this morning and the Germans made a small attack in an attempt to take a post near Givenchy. But this movement was quickly stopped by the British fire. The British carried out minor operations at Givenchy which resulted in the recapture of a strong position which the enemy held.

South of the Clarence River four German companies, which essayed a local attack were repulsed.

Hatching For Days.

Trouble has been brewing in the Somme sector for days, the enemy maintaining a bombardment of more or less intensity over a wide area. Throughout yesterday Villers-Bretonneux and other places were heavily shelled and this morning the bombardment was greatly increased.

On the northern battle front the German artillery pounded the entente allied positions, and particularly in the Robecq and Merville sector, and this morning an intense bombardment was put down in the British positions on both sides of the River Lawe. Thus a large section of the northern battle front was seething today.

A British operation yesterday over a 2,000 yards front in the Riez-du-Vinage sector was a complete success, and greatly improved the defending lines. A nasty salient, about 1,500 yards wide and about the same depth, had bulged into the British territory, just north of Vinage. The British drove the enemy from the salient and straightened their lines.

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