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HAIG RETAKES SOME GROUND

Grivesnes Park, in the Somme Sector, Is Carried by the Poilus.

SUCCESS NEAR ALBERT

British Win Back Section of Area Lost to the Foe Thursday.

Paris, May 10.—French troops esterday captured Grivesnes ark, five miles northwest of Montdidier, the war office an-

he French took 258 prison-They organized their new positions, notwithstanding Gerresistance.

AN IMPORTANT SUCCESS. counter assault the small portion anch north of Arbert, which the ans had captured yesterday, while all one, was important. It lay on ground, which had been hotly conever since the Germans stormed

ENEMY BALKED WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN FRANCE, May 9.—By the Associated Press.—The Germans had intended to much more pretentious assau ders yesterday than they were able to carry out, it has been learned.
Their failure was due to the excellent work of the Allied gunners and to a small coincident operation by the French east of Scherpenberg, which came at the right moment to help upset

Berlin, Thursday, May 9—(Via Lon-on).—Complete successful local at-acks southwest of Ypres on Wednes-ay resulted in the capture of 675 pris-

the fighting this morning in the La Clytte-Voormezeele sector," says Fleid Marshal Haig's report from British headquarters in France tonight, "the French and British positions on this front were completely restored.

"Following upon his artillery activity already reported the enemy launched two local attacks early this morning in the neighborhood of Albert and Bouzincourt. In the latter locality the enemy's attack was broken up by our rifle and machine gun fire and falled to reach our trenches.

"At Albert, after suffering heavy casualties from our fire, his troops succeeded in effecting a lodgment in our advanced position on a front of about 150 yards. On the remainder of the British front there is nothing to report beyond artillery activity on the content of the British front there is nothing to report beyond artillery activity on the content of the subject of Alsace-Loral at the peace conference.

"Second—The Brest-Litovsk peace treaties not to be discussed at the peace conference, although the Allies might submit claims for the revision of them, and Germany might make certain conto report beyond artillery activity on both sides in the different sectors."

BANK MANAGER GIVEN FIVE YEARS IN PRISON

manager of a local branch of the Do-minion Bank, was sentenced today by Judge Winchester to five years at Portsmouth Penitentiary, Kingston, for the theft of \$53,000 from the bank. Accused pleaded guilty as soon as ar-raigned in the county of the state of of the stat Accused pleaded guilty as soon as arraigned in the county criminal court.

Restitution of about \$3,200 has been made.

The county crown attorney said Maynard had started to bet on horse racing in February, 1916. He had borrowed money sent from the head office and manipulated customers' accounts to meet the defalcations.

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 73; lowest, 42.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 65; lowest, 57.

TOMORROW-FAIR AND COOL. Forecasts. Today—Strong winds to moderate gales, westerly to northerly; occasiona ers and local thunderstorms today, ecoming cooler.

"Catching on" to a delivery wagon irday—Fresh northwest to west on his way home from Rectory street The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:
Stations. High. Low. Weather.

"MARGARET" ARRIVES

"She" Is Now at Queen's Park as Result of Blighted Romance, First "Her" Ow n and Then That of Policeman Who Fell in L ove With "Her."

Local drug stores would do well to lay in a new stock of powder-puffs! Why? Because Margaret is with us! Yes, she is, giris!

She arrived in London last night, and has taken apartments in this city. Oh, yes, she's going to stay here for some time!

And say! She had the swellest soldier with her you ever saw! One of those tall, broad-shouldered chaps!

Where is she stopping? Why, at queen's Park! Yes, indeed! So watch your step, fellows! They say she's a regular Theda Bara!

As a matter of fact, one poor military policeman nearly fell in love with her in Kitchener. He went so far as to bestow on her as a token of his affection a ring. Later, his ardor cooled, and he wanted his ring back. The young lady was not at all friendly to him after that, and as a result she "thedabaraed" and heartlessly gave away her one-time lover' to the dominion police.

The story of the meeting of the dominion policeman is romantic. One of the stalwart officers was strolling along one evening a week or two ago in Victoria Park, Kitchener.

"Some feet! Some stride! Some her is a week or two ago in Victoria Park, Kitchener.

"Some feet! Some stride! Some her in corial park, Kitchener.

"Some feet! Some stride! Some young lady step fout of a house and cross the sidewalk to a waiting discovery that "her" real name was horman E. W. Schmidt, and that instead of dabbing powder on "her" nose, "her" occupation should have been picking "her" teeth with a bayonet.

So he gallantly escorted "her" to London Thursday night. "Margaret" is mow calmly reposing at Queen's Park camp, where she will be given time to muse on the fickleness of man.

Blighted Romance to Blame.

Incidentally a blighted romance is intertwined in the sad story. Schmidt had been a courtier-in-waiting on a co

HUN TERMS OFFERED WILSON PEACE DRIVE BADLY BUMPED

Prof. Herron Tells Emissaries Going To Be Crushed For-

London, May 10.—A story of how attempted German peace offensive the Daily Mail. Professor Herron is described as a friend of President Wilson.

The German Government, according to tacks southwest of Ypres on Wedness, day resulted in the capture of 675 prisoners, according to the official statement from general headquarters today. German troops, it is added, took by storm fortified positions on a front of more than a mile.

To Prepare the Way.

Professor Quidde said he had come to

COMPLETELY RESTORED.
ONDON, May 9.—"At the close of fighting this morning in the Latte-Voormezeele sector," says Field and the German foreign office. He asshal Haig's report from British dquarters in France tonight, "the peace party in the Reichstag was about

and Germany might make certain con-"Third—No economic war against Jermany after the war. "Fourth—German colonies to be re-

tored."
Professor Quidde asserted that the present offensive in France had the altimate objective of achieving a dural

Professor Herron, the Daily Mail's cor-respondent writes, after listening to the

The United States intends to conmilitary power and, if necessary, the Prussian state along with it, is extinguished forever as a power for evil, whether it takes one year or ten."

Professor Quidde, adds the correspondent, left the house weeping.

The next week Professor Herron was The next week, Professor Herron was sieged by new offers by telephone, e of the speakers saying he was Dr. S. Solf, German colonial minister.

SMASHED IN WHEEL

Ankle Fractured and Leg Broken When

Boy Tries to "Catch" Wagon. school yesterday at noon, Jack Taylor, Stations. High. Low. Weather. Victoria 66 46 Clear Calgary 48 32 Clear Winnipeg 48 24 Clear Winnipeg 48 Clear Port Arthur. 28 Clear Parry Sound 60 50 Cloudy Port Stanley. 50 Cloudy Buffalo 74 48 Cloudy Toronto 60 50 Fair Kingston 60 50 Fair Montreal 56 52 Cloudy Ottawa 58 42 Rain Montreal 56 52 Cloudy Cloudy Cloudy Weather Notes.

The disturbance which was in Nebraska yesterday is now centred near the Georgian Bay, attended by strong winds, showers and thunderstorms in Ontario and Quebec.

In the West the weather is still cold.

dall, driver for George H. Belton Lumber Company, was in charge of the wagon. The lad was taken home in the wagon and Dr. F. R. Clegg was called, and had him removed to Victoria Hospital. It will be some time before he will be able to be out again.

W. M. Althouse, the principal of Rectory street school, says that he, as well as the other principals have been placing special emphasis on the dangerous practice of catching on wagons. The pupils have been forbidden to do so while under the principal's care, and strongly warned not to do it at any time. No blame is attached to the driver in this case, Mr. Althouse says, as he did everything possible to prevent the boys getting on his wagon. dall, driver for George H. Belton Lum-

May 10 will long continue to be ob-Prussian Military Evil Is served as a day of mourning by the many loyal and admiring friends of the late Lieut. Joe Walters, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Walters of 1029 Rich. mond street, who on this date one year today. London, May 10.—A story of now an attempted German peace offensive directed toward President Wilson was turned down ignominiously by Professor Herron, an American living in Geneva, is told by the Swiss correspondent of tyranny could be guaranteed weak na- bodies already had been taken from the into effect. tions and his own home would be made wreck. secure against the fate which had over-

taken so many in Belgium and France. A young man of brilliant promise, LONDON BAKERIES beloved by all for his sunny disposition. his sterling character, his unfailing kindness and his detestation of all that was mean and sordid, he heard, and unhesitatingly answered, the call to arms. During his service with the colors he endeared himself to his fellowofficers and to his men, and when at last a shell ended his earthly career he Inspector Expresses Satisfacleft behind him at home and in France a place that cannot be filled.

The works of Joe Walters live, although his body lies in France. The letters he wrote home from overseas contained some of the most heartreaching appeals for recruits which have come to the dominion. They had their effect, and even today they are nspiring young men to make the sacrifice entailed in the offering of themtreaties not to be discussed at the peace conference, although the Allies might submit claims for the revision of them, and Garmany might revision of them, sharing all the perils of the battle with his comrades. What finer record could

London, May 10.—The action of the House of Commons in turning down the Asquith motion by a large majority generally accords with the views various newspawith the views various newspapers expressed previous to the premier's statements in the House of Commons. The staunch supporters of the premier accept his statement without question and regard it as a complete refutation of the charges made by Major-Gen. Maurice. Those papers which urged an inquiry treat the speech as having a restricted value and as being an ex-parte statement, though they admit it was a good effort. Among the former papers is the Daily Mail, which says that not a rag of Gen. Maurice's pretentious indictment is left, and asks who again will ever pay the least attention to is left, and asks who again will ever pay the least attention to anything he says. It declares that Former Premier Asquith was outgeneralled and outfought.

IN RAID ON ZEEBRUGGE



DELEGATION OF FARMERS WILL TAKE COMPULSION FIGHT STRAIGHT TO THE PARLIAMENT

ARMY Government Is Much Worried TRAIN WRECKED:

ago gave his life for the cause and A soldier arriving here said that many country he loved so well and for which he was ready and willing to lay down

days inspecting the bakeries. He ex- forts are being made to control the fire. presses himself as entirely satisfied that the 23 licensed bakeries are doing all standard floor and wheat flour substi-

"In my inspections," he says, "I have

ters.
"How are people to get enough sugar for canning and preserving?"

"Is the food department going to encourage people to 'eat all they can and can all they can't,' again this year?" was another question put to him.

Answering the last first, he said: "It is most necessary to conserve as much food as possible. So far as obtaining sugar for canning is concerned, it is probable that this will be explained by the food controller when he visits London next week." The district inspector expressed himself as much impressed by the extent and efficiency of the publicity organization effected by James Gray of this city, the work and enlisted co-operation of businessmen not only in London but all through Western Ontario.

od board along with his other

NOW PAST 3 MILLIONS

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Toronto, May 10.—Over \$3,000,000 has been subscribed for the dominion-wide red triangle drive of the Y. M. C. A., according to the latest reports received at the national headquarters here. At noon today, \$2,779,788 was actually reported from the different centres, but the whole of the third day's canvass for the dominion outside of the cities of Toronto and Montreal and the Province of Ontario had not been heard from.

GETTING CLOSE TO ESTIMATE.—The number of vehicle licenses issued

tion effected by James Gray of this city, district representative of the conservation publicity section of the Canada Food Board and the spirit of enthusiasm with which Mr. Gray has taken up as with which Mr. Gray has taken up the city council. So far Mr. McCallum has received \$2,769 for the little brass tags and the dollar fees are still brass tags and the dollar fees are still The number of vehicle licenses issued by Inspector J. W. McCallum is rapidly approaching the 3,000 mark as estimated Callum has received \$2,769 for the little brass tags and the dollar fees are still coming, one by one now. The people generally have accepted the bylaw, no one having questioned its validity. Undoubtedly there are a few delinquents about the city who have not donated their dollar and they may be called upon later by the police.

Amsterdam, May 10.—No Germans are participating, or will participate, in the advance by Finnish troops on Petrograd. According to Vorwaerts, this announcement was made before their dollar and they may be called on Wednesday by Gen. von Krisberg.

British people.

RUMAN HOUSE DISSOLVED.

Amsterdam, May 10.—The Rumanian Parliament has been dissolved by royal decree, according to a dispatch from Bucharest. New elections have been ordered, and the new Parliament will convene on June 17. Mr. Waddell has for several years been inspector of fruit in this district, and is taking on the work of inspection for the food boards.

ENTRANCE TO THE U-BOAT BASE MEWBURN SAYS Cruiser Vindictive Sunk So As To Block Sub-**KNOWS NOTHING**

BOLD BRITISH RAID CHOKES

OF LABATT JOB Appointment Was Made Long Before He Took War

MEDICAL CATEGORIES

Portfolio.

Bureau Asks Why There Should Be Re-examination

of Class E Men.

Over Widespread Hostility Ottawa, May 10.—Sir George Foster submitted a bill to the House this morning amending the daylight savings act. The purpose of the amendment is to Which Is Shaping Into a SCORES INJURED

Two Cars Filled With Soldiers Go Through Southern Trestle.

Columbia, S. C., May 10—Between the two passenger coaches, loaded with members of the 321th Machine Gun Company, fell from a trestle near Camp Jackson today.

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a misinterpretation of signals. The loss to rolling stock will be heavy. Efforts are being made to control the fire.

FINANCIAL PROBE

INTO COMMISSION

Fore their category was definitely determined.

Mr. Bureau asked why a man who had been placed in a category lower than A on his original medical examination, could not simply submit his papers on reporting and be discharged.

Should Be Re-Examined.

Mr. Mewburn replied that some men, who should have been placed in Category A had been put in lower categories. Therefore they should also be re-Therefore they should also be re-

Second reading was then given to the Hon. C. J. Doherty's bill to amend the criminal code, and the House resolved itself into committee. The bill in the main seeks to raise the age of consent from 16 to 18 years of age.

There was considerable discussion of a section of the bill which provides that "no male person under the age of 21 shall be prosecuted for any offence under the provisions of this section."

GERMANS WITH FINNS MOVING ON PETROGRAD

marine Operations In Second Audacious Foray of British Naval Force-One Motor Launch Lost and Casualties Light.

London, May 10 .- The German submarine base of Ostend, on the Belgian coast, has been blocked as the result of a new raid by British naval forces, the admiralty announces. The obsolete eruiser Vindictive, filled with concrete, has been sunk across the entrance to the harbor. The British lost one motorboat. Their casualties were light.

SUBS UNABLE TO REACH BASE

London, May 10.—Regarding reports that German submarines have been unable to enter Flemish ports and have had to return to Germany, Reuter's, Limited, says it is unable to obtain confirmation in naval quarters. Photographic and other evidence from Zeebrugge shows that the Bruges Canal is still entirely blocked as a result of the British raid of April 23, and that it cannot be used. The obstructions, it has been found, were better placed than was at first supposed. German attempts to clear the waterway are meeting with no success as a result of British no success as a result of British air activity and other causes.

LIBERALS PREVENT YUKON VOTE REPORT FROM BEING BURIED

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, May 10.-The privileges and elections committee held a special sesinterest that between thirty and forty stated that between thirty and forty sodies already had been taken from the wreck.

LONDON BAKERIES

DOING EVERYTHING

TO OBEY REGULATION

Inspector Expresses Satisfaction Was performed to the rear of freight No. 422 at 2 o'clock this afternoon at Junction Cut.

Both trains were derailed and forty cars are on fire. No one was injured. The accident is presumed to be due to a misinterpretation of signals. The loss to rolling stock will be heavy. Efforts afternoon and north of Lake Erie, has been in the city during the past few to discuss the question. Sir Robert repiled that the question of Col. Labati's pension was before the pension committee. Opportunity would be given the House to discuss the question. Sir Robert repiled that the question of Col. Labati's pension was before the pension committee. Opportunity would be given the House to discuss the question. Sir Robert repiled that the question of Col. Labati's pension was before the pension committee. Opportunity would be given the House to discuss the question. Sir Robert repiled that the question of Col. Labati's pension was before the pension committee. Opportunity would be given the House to discuss the matter in the House internet. On Col. Currie under the autent of Col. Labati's pension was before the pension of Col. Currie under the question of Col. Currie under the autent of the Minister of the Pension was before the thouse total constitution of Col. Currie under the autent of the Pension was before the the other day the courts of the pension was before the House total constitution of Col. Currie under the autent of the Pension was before and the propert of the district west of the pension was before the pension was before the thouse total constitution of Col. Currie under the question of Col. Currie under the question of Col. Currie under the pension was a matter for the sion this morning in an attempt to bury nissioners.
Sir Wilfrid Laurier asked if an opportune the report of that committee in the

More Complications in Case of Firing Hunter.

The same tines of the same time, attitudes.

The board of control today passed under the work of two patrols. He downed the first two in tens seconds, the three seconds, the three seconds, the three seconds are three three in the course of the seconds, and the seconds are the three three in the course of the seconds are the three death of Capt. Capternary.

GENERAL MAURICE DISCREDITED, SAY THE GOVT. PRESS THE GOVT. PRE Who will fire Paving Supt. W. R. Hunter? This is a question which faced the board of control today. It would seem that, according to the bylaw, the board of control should be the body to do so. However, No. 2 committee is Mr. Hunter's boss, and this gives rise to complications. Should the board of control decide what notice should be given and then tell No. 2 committee, or should No. 2 committee be allowed to

CURZON INTIMATES FRESH WITHDRAWAL BY BRITISH FORCES

London, May 10.—Speaking to the Primrose League, Lord Curzon, Government leader in the House of Lords and member of the British war council, said that grave times were ahead, and that the British soldiers might have to give ground. Encouragement was to be found, however, he said, in the unity of command, in America's efforts and in the resolute indomitable spirit of the British people.

slan Bolshevik Government, in the might court yesterday was sentenced to five years' penal servitude under the element of the working men to break all laws and to replace Parliament by an organization patterned after the Russian soviets.

AUSTRIA'S FINANCIAL

The announcement follows: "Operations designed to close the ports of Ostend and Zeebrugge were successfully completed last night. when the obsolete cruiser Vindictive

across the entrance to Ostend har "Our light forces have returned to their base with the loss of one motor launch, which had been damaged, and was sunk by orders of the vice-admiral to prevent it from falling into the hands of the enemy "Our casualties were light."

was sunk between the piers and

Apparently the Brifish have carried out another raid on the German submarine bases on the Belgian coast similar to the one on April 23, when so much damage was done to the harbor and works at Zeebrugge. In the raid on Zeebrugge and Ostend on April 23, the light cruiser Vindictive landed British storming parties on the mole at Zeebrugge, the attackers doing considerable damage to the mole after storming German batteries. Commander Alfred Carpenter was promoted to be captain for bravery in action. The Vindictive was damaged severely in the action at Zeebrugge. The Vindictive was h ham in 1897. She displaced 5.750 tons and her complement was 450

BOMBED ZEEBRUGGE MOLE flying squadrons bombed the mole and the village of Zeebrugge, the German submarine base on the Belgian coast, at noon and in the ever ing Thursday. No military damage was done, according to an official statement issued in Berlin. Two of the hostile airplanes were shot down by German airmen.

WELL-GUARDED SECRET. Dover, England, May 10.—The decision to send the Vindictive to Ostend was made a few days after and the task of fitting her with concrete was begun immediately. As in the joint raid on Zeebrugge and Ostend, this latest British naval exploit was kept a well-guarded secret. As an evidence of this, it is recalled that after the battle-scarred cruiser returned from Zeebrugge an urgent request was made that she be sent up the Thames to London for public view. The authorities did not encourage the proposal, however, the agitation subsided. All the time the old vessel was being overhauled

NO HOPE FOR ANY SUNDAY CARS TO

for her last voyage.

BOLSHEVIK CONSUL WHO "KNOCKED" RECRUITING IS GIVEN FIVE YEARS

Edinburgh, May 10.-For making speeches prejudicial to recruiting, John MacLean, consul in Glasgow of the Rus-

SITUATION DESPERATE London, May 10.—Vienna newspapers represent the financial as well as the political situation in Austria as being most desperate, says a Zunial to the Morning Post.