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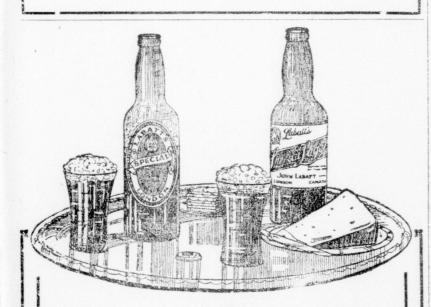
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Frank Simonds Reviews Offensive in France and Flanders. Done in Petain's Way - Object Not to Break Through, But to Inflict Heavy Casualties and Gain Vantage Points.

By Frank H. Simonds Author of "The Great War," "They Shall Not Pass."

front of something like ten miles, where the operation aimed at taking some specific point. Thus Petain's two offensives at Verdun last year, the British attacks at Arras, Messines, Hill 70 and before Y pres this year, and the new French attack before Verdun. In the Somma battle of last year, on Inthe New Y petain's ward, covered by a creeping barrase, the operations are not wider front involved in the first day's one of any piercling, any breaking through, attacks in narrow as they advance, in the Champagne in 1915 the front assailed was hardly less than eightneen miles, but a Moroccan brigade that got learn through emerged on a front of clear through emerged on a front involved the French man artillery on the rear. Even the man artillery on the rear is the control of the states, the three of the first great of the control of the states, the control of the states, the control of the states, the control of the Event and the control of the states, the control of the states, and the control of the states, and the control of the states, and the control of the states, the control

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To 2,000 Yards Beyond.

had released many German troops, and, what was more important, reserves that had been marked for use in the east. The chance of a decision in 1917 went glimmering. It became a question of exerting the utmost pressure upon the Germans, exacting the largest possible casualty lists, while losing as few men as possible, and for this form of warfare it was recognized that GRAND HEADQUARTERS OF THE FRENCH ARMY, Aug. 24.—(By the Associated Press.)—Hill 304, the last "I had been reading about Tanlac."

## FOE'S LOSSES AWFUL IN VAIN ATTEMPTS TO RETAKE POINTS LOST IN LENS FIGHT

Germans Forced Into Cellars and Are Practically Besieged.

[Ely stuart Lyon, Special Correspondent of the Canadian Press.]

CANADIAN HEADQUARTERS IN France, and the Sewen the British and the Germans about Lens assume, more and more, the characteristics of a siege. The city is not encircled by our tropes, but as the result of the last ten days the german behavior of artillery preparation almed tatack must be over a wide front, a sale of front. This was the method of tatack. Another school has advocated an attack of September [19]; this was the method of tatack. Another school has advocated an attack of september for of something like ten miles, with an even smaller front in cases where the operation almed at taking some specific point. Thus Petain's two of fensives at Verdun last vear the Rit.

New German Defences.

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From a point a little further north on the city front comes one of the on the city front comes one of the stories of cool daring, so common in the annals of the Canadians there. Durthe annals of the Canadians there. During an encounter between patrols it came to the knowledge of a lieutenant in charge of our patrol that a German party on outpost duty was sheltered in the cellar of a wrecked house on the German front. The lieutenant in charge of our patrol went over, accompanied by only one man. In response to his demand to the enemy below to come up unarmed and surrender, ten un-

wounded and four wounded Germans emerged from the cellar and were marched into our lines by their two captors. They had had enough and they made no show of resistance.

CANADIANS HOLD CRASSIER

AFTER TERRIFIC FIGHTING

LONDON, Aug. 24.—Hard fighting

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Major Hector Ross Murphy

ache so I couldn't sleep. My arms and shoulders ached something awful, and

### ALLIES HAVE CAPTURED 167,780 PRISONERS IN THIS YEAR'S CAMPAIGN

LONDON, Aug. 24.—The British, French, Italian and Russians have captured 167,780 war prisoners since April 9, when the 1917 campaign opened, according to a statement issued by the British war department this evening. The text of the statement reads:
"The number of prisoners captured by the Entente Allies since April 9, when the 1917 campaign opened with the battle of Arras, up to

August 22, is: German war prisoners captured by British German war prisoners captured by France
Chiefly Austrian war prisoners captured by Italians 43,423 40.681 Chiefly Austrians captured by Russians ..... .37,221

"The total number of German war prisoners captured by the British since the beginning of the war is 102,258.

"The total number of British prisoners, including Indians, captured by the Germans is approximately 43,000, but exact information as to small captures made by the enemy in recent fighting cannot be given until the ecessary information is received from Germany. "The total number of prisoners captured by us in all the war theatres since the beginning of the war, exclusive of African natives, is

"The total number of prisoners lost by us since the beginning of the war, exclusive of African natives, but including Indians, is approximately 56,500."

### BENNINGHAUS NOT WITH PARTY FROM U. S. SOO FIRED UPON BY TROOPS

FIRED UPON BY TROOPS

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Aug. 25.—
Canadian and American government officials have formally denied that Alfred Benninghaus, a prominent local merchant, was involved in any way in the incident of August 20, which caused American soldiers to fire on a launch in St. Mary's River. It is claimed that one of the soldiers who reported the incident informed newspapermen that Benninghaus was in the launch, It developed later, according to the authorities, that the man's name was Benoit.

Mr. Benninghaus, a native of Canada, has on more than one occasion proved his loyaity to the Canadian and American military forces local officials said today. He is the owner of a launch which is quite well known on the river, but the boat was not in use at the time of the shooting.

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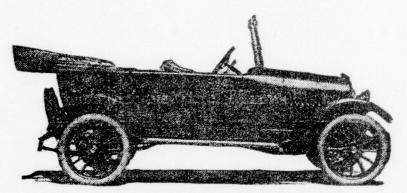
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