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ANLACS LATTLING HARD FOR FULL POSSESSION OF POZIERES CANNONADING ALONG THE BRITISH FRONT DEVELOPS GREAT INTENSITY

DEADLOCK ON HOME RULE ISSUE REACHED IN BRITISH PARLIAMENT

### HOLD UPON POZIERES TIGHTENED BY ANZACS

Curtain of Fire Hides Ruins of Village, Where Australians Are Battling for Complete Mastery -Volume of Shelling by Both Sides is Tremendous.

ONDON, July 24, 11.20 p.m.—The struggle for the possession of Pozieres still continues, with the Anzac troops tightening their hold on the large part of the village held by them. Tonight's report from

The fighting has continued in the Village of Pozieres, where the Sir Douglas Haig says: number of prisoners taken by the Australian troops has reached a total of "In other parts of the battle front there has been considerable artillers activity on both sides.

"Between the Ancre and the sea nothing of importance has occurred." "Between the Ancre and the sea nothing of importance has occurred."

The earlier British report stated that, in addition to the success gained at Pozieres, some ground had been won near High Wood in the direction of Buillemont. The statement follows:

Additional Gains.

"Apart from continuous heavy shelling by both sides during the night comparative calm followed the severe fighting of yesterday.

"In additional Gains are the Australians had yesterday established themselves on one side of the main street, with the Germans on the other. Unremittingly the German guns kept a curtain of fire there with burst after burst of shrapnel, raining bullets and high explosives on one side of the main street, with the Germans on the other. Unremittingly the Germans bullets and high explosives on one side of the main street, with the Germans on the other. Unremittingly the Germans of burst after burst of shrapnel, raining bullets and high explosives, their black bursts churning the earth. On the other side of the massed remains of that village, which is precious high ground, the British guns placed the same kind of a curtain, as if serving the same kind of a curtain, as if serving the same kind of a notice that no one might pass the barrier of death and

"We gained some ground near High join in the struggle of the comba Wood and in the direction of Guillegieres, we secured important advantages in spite of the stubborn defence of the enemy, and a large portion of the village is now in our hands. Here we have captured two guns and 60 more prisoners."

But back from the scene came more prisoners and two guns taken, and news that the Australians, not content with holding one side of the street, now had both, and, digging, bombing, ducking and rushing amidst piles of fallen bricks and debris, were pressing on to the mastery of the whole village. mont. In the neighborhood of Po-

General Haig today sent the follow-

ment. "Part of the first Australian division made a very gallant, skilful and successfu attack on Pozieres Village, a very strong point in the enemy's line, and captured two guns and some prisoners with slight loss."

Hid by Fire Curtain

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, July 24, 7 p.m.: via London. 11.85 p.m.—How about the Australians? Everybody was asking today at the front. Were they

ing today at the front. Were they sticking to it?

What the official bulletins call a curtain of fire hid the ruins of Pozieres, what rozieres is to the left Guillemont and Givinchy beyond are to the right. Apparently the Germans have brought still more guns and troops from Vertain of fire hid the ruins of Pozieres, dun for the issue at stake here.

George, in view og the failure of the

Irish negotiations, in which he was

News, "is understood to be that if Mr.

Lloyd George resigns he should con-

The matter is now being discussed.

sider himself obliged to resign also.

Troubles Ahead.

the collapse of the Irish negotiations.

hopes of a settlement means trouble-

trouble in Ireland and trouble in the house of commons. We have the old

millstone tied once more around our

"The abandonment of the recent

The Daily Telegraph says:

PREMIER ASQUITH TO QUIT

IF LLOYD GEORGE RESIGNS

Leave Office as Result of Irish "Fiasco"-London

Papers Comment on Situation as Perilous One.

Asquith Tells Redmond Measure Cannot Be Introduced at Present.

Irish Representation in Imperial Parliament is Disturbing Question.

LONDON, July 24.-Indications of the failure of the negotiations on the Irish settlement initiated by Lloyd George and that the tentative home rule measure has been dropped for a time at least, were given in today's debate in the house of commons. Premier Asquith, replying to John Redmond. Nationalist leader, who charged that modification of the original proposals

beyond the Bazentin-le-Petit were the gain for this sultry day, with the thick dust of the traffic in the rear and the smoke of shells over the field of battle hanging low. Nover since the battle of the Somme began has the correspondent of the Associated Press seen more shelling by both sides. George stated that Unionist members of the cabinet had found it impossible to secure the consent of their follow-Press seen more sneiting by both sides.

Pounding, with no recess, is proceeding on every part of the line, but is particularly heavy on the right of the line, as well as on the left of Pozieres. The Germans are pouring in an unceasing volume on the Trones Wood, where the British infantry face the Village of Guillemont and answerers to the maintenance of an undiminished Irish representation after a general election and after home rule had

been set up in Ireland. Sir Edward Carson made an eloquent plea for harmony in which he said: "Let Ulster be struck out of the bill-Then go on and win her if you can. She can be won by good government." John Redmond, leader of the Nationalists, moved an adjournment of the house to discuss the premier's reply and a lively debate when the regular business of the house was concluded. was anticipated.

Minister of Munitions Reported To Have Offered To rectly addressed the Nationalists, denying that any partiality had been shown to either side during the negotiations. Mr. Asquith declared that the exclusion of the six Ulster counties from the operation of the home rule act was to his mind the greatest giveand-take arrangement ever made in the history of a political controversy, and he asked the Nationalists not to break off the negotiations.

break off the negotiations. (Continued on Page 3, Column 1).

TEUTONS SAY PRAYERS FOR DEUTSCHLAND Minister Holds Service for Merchant Submarine, Half Sub-

BAI/TIMORE, July 24.—A communion service was held tonight aboard the interned North German Lloyd steamer Neckar, lying alongside the submarine Deutschland, for the captain and crew of the submarine. A German immigrant missionary conducted the service. In his prayer he asked that the vessel and her crew may have a safe voyage home.

The service was followed by a banquet.

merged.

It was learned that the Deutschland BITTER CHARGES MADE was partially submerged at her slip this evening. The water is not deep enough for full submergence.

### **CANOE UPSET AND** TWO LOST LIVES

Hundreds Witness Double Drowning at the Island Yesterday.

Helpless and horror stricken, hundreds of visitors to the island yesterday afternoon stood on the decks of involved a breach of faith and that the a ferryboat and on the board walk at rapidly withdrew, fighting continuous-Irish people would not accept the Hanlan's Point and watched two ly with detachments of gendarmes.

The rock upon which negotiations have been wrecked is the retention in the imperial parliament of Nationalist members in unreduced numbers. Lloyd George stated that Unionist members by the state of the island, and was putting to bay to the island. the slip at Hanlan's, when Sniderman attemptel to cross the track about twenty-five yards behind the boat. The

twenty-five yards behind the boat. The cance got in the swell of the ferry-boat and spun completely around into the trough and capsized.

The passengers on the Trillium and hundreds of the people on the shore shouted in horror, but their warning was too late. The couple were dumped into the water and pulled beneath the surface in the undercurrent.

The life-saving station was at once notified and Dr. J. W. Barton, 316 Palmerston boulevard, who was standing

merston boulevard, who was standing on the board walk, hurriedly jumped into a canoe and went to the assist-

ance of the drowning couple.

Capt. Chapman and a crew from the life-saving station arrived and immediately started dragging operations.

Later the crew was assisted by Mait Aykroyd, who had hurried to the scene in answer to a telephone call. After A significant remark was made by Premier Asquith. In appealing to the Nationalists not to throw away the opportunity for bringing home rule into immediate operation, Mr. Asquith said:

"I ask the house, and will ask the country if necessary, if the government's proposals are not fair."

Just before the motion of Mr. Redmond was voted down Mr. Asquith directly addressed the Nationalists, denying that any partiality had been carried about thirty yards in so that the cance capsized. Dr. Barton worked on the body with a pulmotor worked on the body of rone hour and thirty minutes, and for one hour and thirty minutes, and for one hour and thirty minutes at the placed in the life-saving motor-boat and taken to the city.

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had been carried about thirty yards in the under tow of the Trillium. The body was removed to the morgue an the chief coroner notified. Coronel Dr. Rowe was instructed to investigate On hearing the account of the fatality the coroner decided that it was purely accidental and that an inquest was not necessary. Identification of the bodies was made by a brother of Sniderman

Russian Detachment of Horsemen Pass Thru the Carpathians.

ALL POPULACE FLEES

After Riding Thirty Miles Towards Plains, Cavalry Retires.

LONDON, July 25, 3.18 a.m.-A despatch to the Morning Post from Budapest, dated July 15, says:

"Some Cossack detachments terday, creating a panic thruout the ing thousands of refugees to swarm down on to the plains. The Russians penetrated about 80 miles and then

military transport and holding up supplies. The refugees are entirely without food. The cattle which they drove
with them also have had nothing to
eat owing to the sparse vegetation in
the mountains.

"Journalists who have seen the exodus in the Bukowina region say that
only the Serbian flight into Montenegro and Albania can be compared to it.
Everywhere are to be seen bodies of
persons who died from exhaustion and
often beside them the carcases of
horses."

## FRENCH CAPTURE

Carry Out Successful Minor Operation on Somme Front.

FOE LOSES REDOUBT

Ally Ejects Germans From Position Near Thiaumont Work.

ecial Cable to The Toronto World. PARIS, July 24.—Capture of a German battery south of Estrees Village, Somme front, by the French, in a minor action, was announced in the official communication of the Paris

war office tonight. On thte Verdun front, French infantry captured a German redoubt immediately west of the Thiaumont work. The French night official communica-

tion follows: "South of the Somme a minor operation enabled us to capture, this morn-Village of Estrees. Since July 20 we have taken on the Somme front more than 60 German machine guns.

"On the right bank of the Meuse, after a spirited engagement, our infantry occupied a redoubt immediately west of the This was a transfer of the This was a transf ing, an enemy battery south of the

west of the Thiaumont work, taking five machine guns and about 40 prisoners.

"Calm prevailed on the rest of the front. One of our pilots, Sub-Lieut, De Lorme, already cited six times in army orders, is again cited because of a series of bumbardments carried out by him on stations held by the enemy." Belgian communication: "The day was calm."

COOLING PRICES FOR SUMMER

Now is the time for summer straw hats and Panamas—the time both as to season and op-portunity. All hats



### FOR NICKEL REFINING IN CANADA NOW

nickel refining business since The World rifles. Is the Ross Company really an trained its guns on the International Ottawa and Toronto! And to refine it her own nickel or want to make her own in Ontario!

The International gave a kind of super-cilious undertaking to Sir Robert Border some months ago that in due time they might start to refine a portion of their product in Canada—somewhere down on the Nova Scotia coast—where chemicals were cheap; where there was sea water and other requisites. But they'd make no undertaking as to where they'd refine what they intended to sell in the United States and to Germany. Now they hav been sending agents, so the Hamilto papers say, to look over that city as a possible site for a big refining plant Toronto is also being looked over. And towns up north, near the mines, would

The British-American Nickel Corpora tion, of which E. R. Wood of Toronto is a director, and has very large nicked beds at Sudbury, will start refining in Canada almost immediately under the ceeded in crossing into Hungary yes- Hybenette electrical patents, probably mewhere near Niagara Falls, when frontier towns and villages and caus- they are said to have contracted for several thousands of hydro-electric energy. The Hybenette process is the way. They would put a big gang of mer

with machinery getting out and roasting the ore at Sudbury; then send it to the

after being entirely done here in On-

So things may be doing. But Mr. Ferguson is so sure that no Canadian nickel is getting to Germany. We are W. F. Maclean, M.P. ENEMY BATTERY the war when the company undertook to give Germany at least a third of the

# armament trust factory, too? It is too bad that Canada should have a say about

Calgary News-Telegram: It is an nounced that arrangements have at last been made for the building in Canada of a refinery which will refine Canadian nickel on Canadian territory. What a boon it would have been to the Dominion and to the empire if Britain and Canada had got together years ago and, thru protective trade measures prevented Germany from grabbing off our raw nickel and shipping it back to us in the finished state. If that had been done, the "Made-in-Germany" sign would not have been so conspicuous in this country, and fewer of our own people would have been compelled to go abroad for employment.

Here's a letter from a country store

In the people would not accept the measure as it stood, said the government would not introduce any bill deal ing with the question until there was a substantial agreement among all parties. He made no secret of the fact that the cabinet is not in accord on the course to be followed.

Where They Divide.

The couple went over to the sland the fact that the cabinet is not in negotiations have been wrecked is the retention in Neither of them could swim and half an hour later they have been wrecked is the retention in Neither of them could swim and half an hour later they have been wrecked is the retention in Neither of them could swim and half an hour later they have been wrecked is the retention in Neither of them could swim and half an hour later they have been wrecked is the retention in negations.

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The couple went over to the island the very continues the correction with first plant.

W. F. Maclean, M.P.

Down in Ottawa the Burrows Refining Company

in incicel is getting to Germany. We are not so sure; one thing, however, we are sure of, and that is that Germany has been, thru her agents, storing up in the States her full share of the nickel turned out by the International. Because, for one reason, Germany controls that concern, the dressed up with an American directorate. There was a period before the war when the company undertook to give Germany at least a third of the product.

Mr. Ferguson thinks the submarine Deutschland has "picked up 25 to 50 tons of nickel." But Captain Koenig saye, enough to last the German munition plants for two months.

Nothing has so disturbed the Canadian people who have their boys at the front so much as the nickel situation and the discarding of the Ross rifle; and Hon.

W. Nesbitt has been the chief, the silent, actor in these two things in Canada now for many years. And he wants his nutte company to be let go on making Lee-

### MANY ALLIED SHIPS AWAIT SUBMARINE

Cordon Off Cape Henry.

BREMEN YET MISSING

departure of the German submarine merchantman Deutschland, or the armerchantman Deutschland, or the arrival of her sister ship, the Bremen.

Failure of the Bremen to appear caused considerable disappointment in German circles here today. The feel-time prevailed that the departure of the line of the Box-Tapa-Mertekli. This

### RUSSIAN COLUMN **NEARS ERZINGAN**

Strange Allied Warship Joins Seizes Heights of Naglika and

TURKS MEET PEPULSES

Second Force Malies Gains in March From the Black Sea.

NORFOLK, Va., July 24.—Appearance of a strange allied warship off Cape Henry today led to rumors that a British and French fleet of considerable size was in the vicinity of the southern drill grounds, awaiting the Naglika. From that point of vantage the Russians are continuing their ad-

Deutschland from Baltimore might be delayed indefinitely pending receipt of news regarding the Bremen. If she

### Glass

necks in a heavier and more danger our shape than ever, and we shall be fortunate if it does not hamper our progress at every step thru the deep The Daily News says: "The collapse of the negotiations leaves the Irish problem not merely unsettled. water to be traversed.'

position."

but worse than it has been at any time since the eighties." The Press says: "The whole business is a deplorable tragedy. There has been a plethora of delay and misfaced with the breakdown of a political truce which has existed since the be-ginning of the war, and the leaders of the nation, who should be devoting all their minds to defeating the enemy. are again to be distracted by an in-

ternal feud and dissension."

The Graphic says: "Once more the attempt to establish home rule has failed, because, like previous home rule importance.

LONDON, Tuesday, July 25.—The timent nor secures justice for Great

might pass the barrier of death and

But back from the scene came more

Tremendous Shelling

This and some sections of a trench beyond the Bazentin-le-Petit were

the Village of Guillemont and answering thunders are deluging Guillemont.
What Pozieres is to the left Guillemont.

Daily News reports that David Lloyd Britain. Keen Disappointment. situation in Ireland remains it was, with the additional facthe chief agent, offered to resign his tor of the unrest brought about by the disappointed hopes of a settlement of the issues. In the absence of any "The premier's attitude," says The the amending bill the situation now is that the order in council postponing the operation of the home rule act as stands on the statute book until six months after the lapse of 18 months, mentioned in the order in council is-"There is no doubt that the events of sued in September, 1915, unless the

war has previously ended, remains in the past week, culminating in the Irish flasco," adds the paper, "have force. It is believed in many quarters that weakened the coalition government's if an election took place at the present time Mr. Redmond's followers would run a serious risk of defeat at the polls, as they appear to have lost the All the London papers commented confidence of many of their constitueditorially earnestly and gravely on ents.

> ABSCONDING TELLER MADE RESTITUTION

Laporte Took About Five Thousand Dollars of Bank Funds.

MONTREAL, July 24 .- T. L. Leforte teller of a local branch of the Bank of e that Leforte had taken about \$5000 understanding until now we are of the bank's money. An official of the bank says Leforte has made restitution.

QUIET RULES IN RUSSIA.

headquarters issued tonight reads: "Western front: There is nothing of

## : WAR SUMMARY:

THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED

N the British share of the Somme front fighting was continued in the Village of Pozieres by the Australians yesterday. Gains were made and the prisoners taken were increased to 6 German officers and 145 of other ranks. Considerable artillery shelling prevailed on other parts of the battlefront. On the previous night the British forces gained ground in the vicinity of High Wood and in the direction of Guillemont, and the Australians took important positions in Pozieres. British officers at general headquarters are reported as more than satisfied with the results of the battle up to the

present time. . . . . . . The result of the latest fighting on the Somme battlefront has been the placing of the British forces in position for the making of ago and did not return, has been located a determined assault on the German third system of defence. The in this city. It is believed there will be operations just about concluded, with the Australians driving the price. Our clearing sale of summer hats for men has been advanced a full six weeks, as it is generally in the successful the disconding projectiles. Fight
ling projectiles. Fight
price. Our clearing sale of summer hats for men has been advanced a full six weeks, as it is generally in the successful th no prosecution. It was stated at the Germans out of the last half of Pozieres, appear to have had as their object the clearing of the territory between the second and third German chains of defence, and the getting of a toehold in the third so as to enable our infantry to eat their way into the remaining positions of the enemy and to control the Picardy ridge. By this time the Germans have brought up a great force of artillery and infantry PETROGRAD via London, July 24. from Verdun, and they are violent schelling British positions. British guns have also increased the of their fire, and the disputed linees are a veritable inference of their fire, and the disputed linees are a veritable inference of their fire, and the disputed linees are a veritable inference of their fire, and the disputed linees are a veritable inference of their fire, and the disputed linees are a veritable inference of their fire, and the disputed lines are a veritable inference of the line of

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