

Shells From British Monitors Keeping The Germans In Trenches

Belgians, Too, Are Conducting Vigorous Bombardment—Enemy Kept Busy at Every Point

London, July 3.—News of the Anglo-French offensive came in very slowly today, but while people were anxious for information they showed no disappointment at the delay. The authorities and the press were warning that patience would be necessary, as the advance must be slow, owing to the nature of the fortifications erected by the Germans in the twenty months...

ALLIES' PLANS WORKED LIKE CHARM; DRIVE THROUGH JUST TO THE POINT PICKED OUT

German Shells Only One to Ten of the British, is Corporal's Story—'General Results Excellent,' Say Paris Papers

Paris, July 3.—'General results excellent' is the verdict of the Parisian press on the achievements of the second day of the great Franco-British offensive. All the newspapers assert that what has been accomplished is rather more substantial than sensational. They declare that the mistake made in the Champagne battle will not be repeated, that men cannot fight until the ground has been prepared, so far as humanly possible, by artillery.

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

IMPERIAL OPENS THE WEEK BRILLIANTLY TONIGHT. Rain or shine tonight Imperial Theatre will have one of the best shows of the whole summer. In the first place there will be Clyde Fitch's satirical comedy 'Captain Jinks of the Horse Marines' featuring dancing Ann Murdock, the well-known Frohman star...

AT THE PALACE

This evening the Palace will screen the first episode of that great circus serial entitled 'Fog of the Ring.' The installment is entitled, 'The Leopard Mark' and is a wonderful introduction to this thirty-two reel series and featuring Grace Cunard and Francis Ford and a large cast of stage professionals and properties from four of the largest circuses of the day.

OLDFATHER AND OTHER STARS AT GEM

The Gem takes another step ahead tonight and presents DeWolf Hopper not only for the first time in St. John but in his first appearance in moving pictures. Few comedians have such a reputation as he and in 'Don Quixote' he has a great field for his talent. Then the programme includes Fay Tincher Ford Sterling and other stars. A great bill.

BRIG. GENERAL F. E. BARKER HAS BEEN IN HOSPITAL

News Comes From India—He is Now Convalescent

Brigadier-General Frederic E. L. Barker of this city, one of the most distinguished soldiers who have gone from St. John, is now in a hospital in Bombay, India. News to this effect was received by his relatives here, and in response to a cablegram of inquiry, they were informed by the British war office that General Barker had been sent to the hospital on account of illness, but is now convalescent.

EXHIBITION OF PAINTINGS

Mr. Chavignaud, O.S.A., the former principal of the Halifax Art School, is showing a series of his paintings at the Royal Hotel sample rooms, 22 Gernalin street.

PERSONALS

Miss S. Powers of Providence, R. I., arrived in the city on Saturday to spend the summer with her mother, Mrs. G. Fred Powers, 19 Princess street. Mrs. Edward Craft of West St. John left yesterday with her family for Montreal where they will visit Mrs. J. D. Lamont.

RUSSIANS SINK 54 ENEMY SAILING VESSELS

Petrograd, via London, July 3.—Russian torpedo boats destroyed fifty-four enemy sailing vessels in the Black Sea near the Anatolian coast on June 29, says an official statement.

HALIFAX GOES DRY

Halifax went dry on Saturday, The Chronicle says. 'As far as could be learned, the closing of the bars is complete, and quite contrary to the accepted idea that several of the liquor houses would make a last ditch effort to keep open for a few days, the bars were closed on Saturday.'

NOTICES OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

McEACHERN-CUSACK—On Friday June 30, 1916, at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. J. Charles B. Appel, Charles McEachern and Minnie L. Cusack, both of St. John, N. B.

DEATHS

AYER—In this city on July 3, Iva, daughter of the late Milton and May Ayer, aged 17 years, leaving three sisters and one brother to mourn. Funeral Wednesday afternoon from her late residence, 29 White street, at 8 o'clock.

LOCAL NEWS

Dance Tippierray Hall tonight.

ATTRACTIVE

Three very attractive lines of summer apparel on sale Tuesday at Daniel's, first a line of girls' summer dresses at 75c each, for next 5 to 10 years; special purchase from a New York manufacturer. They come in pretty soft singhams and sepias, and the styles are different from the ordinary. Don't miss this lot. They will sell very quickly.

STADIUM CAFE

The best in the city for a good, well cooked dinner. Meals served at all hours. 48 Prince William street.

SHOES FOR \$1.98

Ladies' black cloth top patent leather button boots, nice lasts, all sizes. Regular \$3.98 for \$1.98 at the True Fit Shoe Store, 332 Main street (opposite Douglas avenue).

TO THE FRONT

The Allies Amusement Co. are to the front with another big popular evening excursion to Crystal Beach on Monday evening, July 10, by steamer May Queen, leaving at 8:30 p. m., returning about 11:40 p. m. Special music for dancing. Tickets, ladies, 50c, gentlemen, 75c. 6-307-4-5-8-10.

OF INTEREST TO MOTORISTS

The new compound 'Carbonoid' has met with the greatest success. All the gasoline and auto dealers and garages can now supply it in any quantity desired. 'Carbonoid' is a combination of highly concentrated volatile chemicals, and is released in a fine-like spray with every explosion, absolutely preventing the formation of carbon, and will gradually allow any previously formed, its use ensures increased power, perfect ignition, uniform combustion and greater mileage to the extent of four to five miles per gallon of gasoline. One teaspoonful will purify and augment five gallons by dropping it in the tank of your car, motor boat or gasoline engine. The supreme test has recently been given by running a motor for a severe test for use at the front. Full particulars will readily be given on applying to G. W. Carleton, 124 King street, West St. John. Phone W. 146.

POLICE COURT

Edward White was before the court for alleged disturbance on a street car on Sunday. Constable Holland said that White got on the car and started to pull the bell strap, used profane language and finally struck him. He was fined 10c and committed to the city jail for drunkenness, 8c for profane language and was told he 'might taste Doc's for the other.'

GREEK OFFICERS GET INTO TROUBLE

Paris, July 3.—Eleven Greek army officers concerned in an attack on the offices of the Riformista, a newspaper published at Saloniki, are said to have been arrested and confined in the French military prison. They are accused of having assaulted the editor and to have torn up a portrait of former Premier Vegeles whom the newspaper supports, because of political articles in the newspaper which were deemed insulting to the army.

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Means fine appearance, up-to-date design and good value. This is what you will find at our store. You can't go wrong when you buy your Furniture here. Hundreds of young people just starting house-keeping have been helped by us, and any of them will tell you that they got more than their money's worth in good furniture and expert advice.

J. MARCUS 30 Dock Street Store Open Evenings Look For the Electric Sign

RECRUITING

The three officers and band of the 140th Battalion, who were left to look after recruiting in the interests of the battalion in Westmorland county and that vicinity, will proceed on Tuesday to the recruiting office in the town of Westmorland. Major Sumner is in charge.

CORP. WM. PHILLIPS, WOUNDED, WRITES HOME

The many friends of Corporal William Phillips, who was reported recently to have been seriously wounded in the heavy fighting, will be glad to hear that he is sufficiently recovered to write home to his anxious relatives here and tell them that under the circumstances he is getting on well and expects to be about in a few months. A letter written by him, and received by his mother, Mrs. Alice Phillips, of 486 Main street, this morning, brought the glad news of his slow but sure recovery.

LEUT. FRANK J. CORR IS KILLED IN ACTION

On Saturday afternoon came news that Lieut. Francis Joseph Corr of this city was killed in action on June 29. Lieut. Corr, who was a member of the 166th Battalion, was killed in action on June 29, 1916. He was a native of St. John, N. B., and was a member of the 166th Battalion. He was killed in action on June 29, 1916. He was a native of St. John, N. B., and was a member of the 166th Battalion.

D. BOYANER TWO STORES

Two stores, 80 Dock Street, 133 Charlotte Street. The name of D. BOYANER has become the standard of excellence and superiority in the optical field of New Brunswick.

THE ROYAL PHARMACY

Djer Kibb Talcum Powder, Regard's Lilac Talcum, Hudnut's Talcum. BEAR IN MIND 47 King Street. The Store that aims at selling THE BEST IN EVERYTHING.

A Reserve Pair of Glasses

That's the only common sense protection against distress in case of an accident. It is not so important in St. John, because you can get a new lens in an hour or two at Sharpe's, but you ought not to think of going on your vacation or a business trip without a reserve pair of glasses.

LEMON PIE, BALTIMORE CAKE, and other delicious cakes, formal, etc. Cooking done only by the women of THE WOMAN'S EXCHANGE

Tea and Lunch Room, 155 Union St. Substantial lunch, 15c. up. New books in our library.

GREAT DRIVE CONTINUED IN THE BLAZING HEAT

(Continued from page 1.) Their advance in the Somme marshes and on the left of the river. They occupied Ligny, captured their occupation of Curly and east and southeast of Domplere made a net gain of more than a mile on a three mile front. The day's operations brought the front of prisoners up to well above and may reach 10,000 by the time all pass to the clearing stations 'rear.' Of these, the French have more than 6,000.

MISS MARY F. CORR, OF THIS CITY, DIES OF WO

(Continued from page 1.) Sergeant Richard Plaster of Fort, a member of the 68th Battalion, had been wounded. Miss Mary F. Corr, all of this city, Mrs. M. J. Corr, all of this city, Mrs. M. J. Corr, all of this city, Mrs. M. J. Corr, all of this city, Mrs. M. J. Corr, all of this city.

JULY WEDDINGS

A very pretty wedding took place six o'clock this morning at the home of Mrs. E. A. Pidgeon, 100 Main street, when her daughter Miss Hazel Trude was united in marriage to Mr. E. Elsworth, Rev. David E. son, D. D., officiated at the ceremony which was performed in the presence of invited guests and immediate friends and relatives.

News of Maritime Men In The War

George Manning McDade, formerly of Fredericton, has been granted a provisional lieutenant's superannuation in the 8th New Brunswick Regiment, Canadian Garrison Artillery. He has gone to the front.

Submarine Accidents

There was a report from As sources on Saturday that a German submarine was on this side of the Atlantic, concealed under the waters of the Bay of Fundy, ready to take money to the Central Powers. The report was not confirmed from any other source.

BURIED TODAY

The funeral of Charles Joseph House took place this afternoon from his late residence, 57 Market Place. The services were conducted by the Rev. W. J. Sampson and Interment was made at Cedar Hill.